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Teacher will cheer for Rams

Performing is natural for Melissa Pennell

By Scott Cousins
Staff writer

Missella Pennell says she has always loved to perform. This fall she will get a chance to do that in front of a stadium full of football fans.

The Granite City resident, a sixth-grade teacher at Wilson School, was one of 45 local women picked to be St. Louis Rams cheerleaders this fall.

Pennell, 28, is no stranger to cheering for St. Louis football teams. During the 1985 and 1986 seasons, she was a member of the Big Red Line, the St. Louis football Cardinals' cheerleaders.

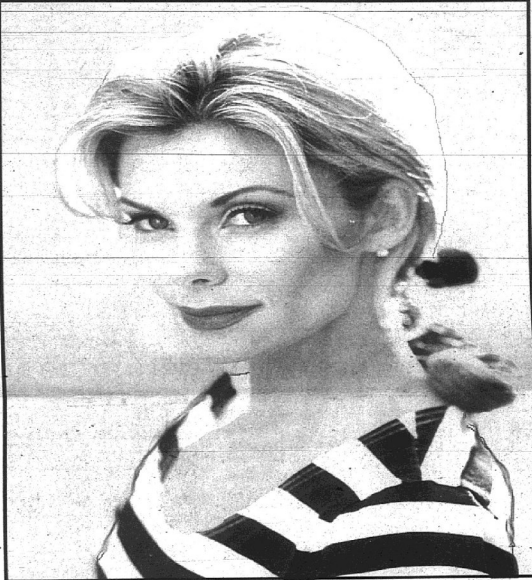
Dancing has always been important to Pennell; it was something she picked up from her mother, Margaret Holland-Pennell.

"I've been dancing all my life," she said. "Mom was a choreographer, and I always said that when I grew up I wanted to be a dancer just like mom."

A 1985 graduate of Granite City High School, Pennell was co-captain of the school's pom-pom squad for two years, and captain her senior year. She was also a member of the Southern Stars, STUE's drill team, for two seasons before graduating in 1991 with a degree in elementary education.

She decided to try out for the cheerleading team after encouragement from her students.

"I would always tell them if they have a goal to keep trying, and that's what they



(Staff photo by PAM DOEPKE-HURD)
Melissa Pennell will return to cheerleading this fall when she takes to the field for the St. Louis Rams.

Safety program working

City employees hurt less often

By Bob Slate
Staff writer

An incentive program designed to reduce lost days among city employees is apparently working.

But it may take a couple of years to determine just how effective the program is.

According to figures provided by Granite City Safety Director Lynnette Kozar, workers compensation-eligible injuries to city employees decreased dramatically over the first four months of this year when compared to the same period last year.

While the number of sick days increased slightly, the overall results were positive, Mayor Ron Selph said.

He said added safety training, increased awareness in the workforce, increased use of light duty, and an incentive program initiated this year contributed to the reduction in lost time.

Granite City officials were notified last year by officials of the Illinois Municipal League Risk Management Association, the insurance pool in which the city participates with many other cities, that the city's insurance premium could increase dramatically—or the city could be kicked out of the pool if a trend of high claims

continued.

Under the incentive program, the city set aside up to \$20,000 to pay out to employees who did not miss a day of work due to illness or on-the-job injury.

The city also recently began implementing a "light duty" program for workers whose injuries prevent them from performing their normal duties but who can still perform some functions. Kozar has also developed safety programs and manuals for each department and conducted regular safety meetings.

"It's kind of hard to tell right now how effective the program will be in the long run," Kozar said. "Who knows? Statistics are just numbers. We could have one catastrophe and have a bunch of firemen or policemen hurt."

"But we're doing all we can to try to improve," she said.

Under the incentive program, every employee who does not miss a day of work this year due to illness or a workers comp injury will receive \$150. All of those workers will also be

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King elected head of port district

By Bob Slate
Staff writer

Dr. Charles "Chip" King Jr. was elected chairman of the Tri-City Regional Port District board Monday night.

It is an honor to be tapped by the board to be chairman," King said.

"The port plays an important role in the local and regional economy and we hope that continues," he said.

King, 38, replaces Kent Holsinger as chairman of the Port District board. Holsinger, who is self-employed and owns a computer company, has served as chairman for the past two years.

Other current board members include Carl Ranft, 1989-90; Harold Fischer, 1986-87; John Bellcoff, 1971-73; Homer Huber, 1980-83; Walter "Buck" Simmons, 1983-84; Mel Wilmseyer, 1984-90; and Dale Arnette, 1990-93.

A seven-member board oversees operations at the Port District. Four members are appointed by the governor and one each by the mayors of Granite City, Madison and Venice.

King was appointed to the board in 1989 by Granite City Mayor Ron Selph.

Other current board members include Mike Thornton, Delton Groothuis and Wilmseyer, all of Granite City; Bellcoff, mayor of the city of Madison; and Howard Silas of Venice.

Thornton was elected treasurer and

Wilmseyer elected secretary at Monday's meeting. All three officers were elected by acclamation.

King, a lifelong Granite City resident, has a chiropractic office at 1509 23rd Street. He received a bachelor of science degree from Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville, where he was an honor student. He is a graduate of Logan School of Chiropractic and has post-graduate training in industrial and sports medicine.

He is president-elect of the Granite City Rotary Club. He and his wife Kim have three children.

In other action Monday night, the board re-appointed Bob Wydra, general manager of the port; Eric Robertson, attorney; and Jim Labit, port engineer.

Located on the Chain of Rocks Canal just north of Lock and Dam 27, the Port District was established in 1959 by the Legislature. Its main objective is to spur growth in economic development and transportation for the region.

Port facilities employ about 230 people and handle about 35,000 trucks, 30,000 rail cars and 2,000 barges each year.

Energy plant hearings July 25

By Scott Cousins
Staff writer

Public hearings on a request for site approval for a proposed wood-to-energy plant in Madison have been set to begin at 9 a.m. Tuesday, July 25, at Madison Middle School.

Plans for the hearings were announced at the Madison City Council meeting last week. The board took action on several other matters relating to the hearing, including the passage of an ordinance outlining hearing rules and procedures.

Metro East LLC, a subsidiary of the Connecticut firm STIRV LLC, has proposed building a \$78-million plant to produce energy by burning waste wood and coal.

The plant would provide approximately 30 full-time jobs, and pump in about \$2.5 million in annual sales and property taxes for the city and school district, company officials say.

The plant has been opposed by a combination of local environmentalists and residents of the nearby Cloverleaf subdivision, which is located outside the city limits.

Old Newsboys Day planning under way

By Jean Abernathy
Staff writer

The 1995 Old Newsboys Day fund drive will be marked by renewed enthusiasm, commitment and hope.

With many positive changes, the fund drive that brings hope to so many area children may be the best one yet.

Don Miller, president and chief executive officer of the Suburban Journals, is enthusiastic about the drive.

"Our children's needs have never been greater and we are determined to make 1995 one of our finest years," Miller said.

Miller will be joined in this effort by Rod Zimmerman, vice president and general manager of radio station KMOX-AM (1120), who is



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IDOT drops 270 interchange plan

By Scott Cousins
Staff writer

The Illinois Department of Transportation has decided to drop plans for a new Interstate 270 interchange on Chouteau Island.

Instead, IDOT announced Friday that it is planning \$5.5 million in repairs to the existing Chain of Rocks Road Bridge.

IDOT engineer Kent Muskopf said cost, environmental damage and a lack of access for farm equipment were the deciding factors in the decision.

"Farm access was a major concern," he said.

The agency had originally proposed building the intersection at a cost of about \$4 million, but at public hearings in April farmers objected because they would have had no access to the island.

Farm machinery is prohibited on interstate highways.

Since the floods of 1993, almost all of the island's residents have left. The only remaining traffic is farm machinery and trucks hauling trash to the landfill operated

on the island by Waste Management Inc.

IDOT had considered building the intersection and keeping the bridge for use by farm equipment only, but Muskopf said that was too expensive. Repairing the bridge enough to allow farm machinery would have cost about \$1.5 million, and would have added only another five years to the bridge's life span, he said.

"We would have had to build the intersection and maintain the bridge, and it would have lasted only another five years,"

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2 hours of work yields four arrests in Madison

By Scott Cousins
Staff writer

In a little less than two hours Thursday evening, Madison police made four separate arrests for outstanding warrants, including two people wanted for out-of-state felonies.

All were arrested after being spotted by police who knew the suspects had outstanding warrants.

Arrested were Rickey T. Salmond, 37, of the 100 block of Carver Street; Cynthia S. Robinson, 29, of Moline Acres, Mo.; Diane Lucas, 31, of Iowa Street, Madison; and Kenneth S. Briggs, 31, of East St. Louis.

Salmond was arrested at about 6:30 p.m., after police

spotted him walking in the 500 block of Madison.

He was wanted for unlawful use of a weapon on a warrant from St. Louis County.

Robinson, who was spotted walking in the 300 block of Madison an hour later, was wanted on four separate charges.

Three of those warrants were for failure to appear to theft, driving with no valid license, and speeding, all issued by the Granite City Police Department. The fourth warrant was for a parole violation in Salina County, Kansas.

As police were arresting Robinson, Lucas approached officers and asked what was going on. She was arrested for failure to appear on a disorderly conduct charge.

Briggs was arrested at about 8 p.m. after being seen at the intersection of Alton and Collinsville roads.

He was wanted on three outstanding warrants: failure to appear for driving with a suspended license, issued by Granite City; disregarding electrical codes, issued by Madison County; and failure to appear on operating an uninsured motor vehicle, issued by St. Clair County.

While searching Briggs, several clear plastic bags containing what police suspect is marijuana were found. The substance was sent to a lab for analysis.



(Staff photo by PAM DOEPKE-HURD)

This home in Granite City is being purchased by a nonprofit foundation for rental to a local family.

Vest's license at risk; hearings to continue

SPRINGFIELD — A state agency plans to resume proceedings against the professional license of Dr. Thomas Bruce Vest of Alton.

A complaint by the Department of Professional Regulation against Vest for alleged unnecessary tests and excessive billing was renewed last week after federal court conviction in May on fraud charges, said department spokesman Tony Sanders.

The federal criminal conviction "definitely helps our case," Sanders said.

A preliminary hearing is scheduled Aug. 7 in Chicago and if the department makes its case it could either suspend or revoke Vest's license to practice medicine, Sanders said.

Vest called the department proceedings "a kangaroo court of doctors who want to get rid of the competition." He said Wednesday he can prove the allegations are without merit.

The department put its disciplinary hearings on hold after the federal criminal investigation began, and all the medical records were subpoenaed.

The department's medical disciplinary panel will make a recommendation to the department director after hearings, said Sanders, who noted he could not estimate how long the process would take. In the meantime, Vest continues to have an active

"You're better off not taking Medicaid patients anyway because the state doesn't pay you much."

— Dr. Thomas Vest

license and can practice without restriction.

Vest, who started his state-of-the-art Doctors Clinic diagnostic facility in Madison, has already been cut off from Medicare and Medicaid programs.

"You're better off not taking Medicaid patients anyway because the state doesn't pay you much," Vest said.

An appeals hearing before a federal administrative law judge to contest the Medicare sanction is scheduled in Alton Wednesday.

Vest said he has already filed evidence refuting the allegations and contended the doctor who performed the audit was unqualified. Nine of the 10 elements reviewed "have no complaint" and are willing to testify on his side, Vest said.

Illinois Department of Public Aid spokesman Dean Schott said Vest was paid about \$29,000 for Medicaid services in the fiscal year that ended June 30.

Vest is scheduled to be sentenced in federal court Sept. 12 and could face up to five years in prison on each of 34 counts of mail fraud.

His attorney has said an appeal is planned.

— From the Alton Telegraph

Bank robber blows it all on casino

Money taken in a St. Louis bank robbery apparently ended up going from a bank vault to a casino.

James Murphy, 62, a career bank robber whose most recent address was a federal prison in Memphis, told St. Louis police he lost about \$1,000 he stole from a downtown St. Louis bank June 30 gambling on the Alton Belle.

Murphy was captured by bank patrons after he robbed the same Roosevelt Bank branch Monday.

Alton Belle officials said Thursday they had not been aware of the incident and have not been contacted by authorities. The FBI and U.S. attorney's offices in St. Louis declined to comment.

A St. Louis police official, who asked not to be identified, confirmed that Murphy stated the lost his first haul from the bank on the Alton Belle. "The officials said he was not aware of any plans to contact Alton Belle officials."

Larry Trent, a former Illinois State Police officer who is director of security for Argosy Gaming Co., owner of the Belle, said he was "not surprised they haven't contacted us since it really wouldn't add anything to their case. ... I assume they have videotape at the bank and the evidence here (the money) would be gone."

Trent said he does not know if Murphy was caught on videotape at the casino. Although the Alton Belle has numerous monitoring cameras, he said the casino does not watch every player.

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HOME receives \$1,500 grant

By Scott Cousins
Staff writer

The receipt of a grant from the Catholic Diocese in Springfield has come at just the right time for Home Ownership Made Easier.

HOME, a local nonprofit foundation, plans to purchase and renovate a house in Granite City, and then rent the home to a local family.

After two or three years, the family would get that money back to make a down payment on a home in the city.

HOME board members Ruth Noeth and Ron Stern were to go to Springfield this weekend to accept a \$1,500 grant from the 1995 Campaign for Human Development, sponsored by the Catholic Diocese of Springfield.

The CHD is a nationwide project sponsored through local Catholic dioceses. Its goal is to provide financial assistance to self-help projects that work toward the elimination of the root causes of poverty.

Since it was founded in 1970, the CHD has provided grants for more than 3,000 self-help projects. In 1994, the CHD collection raised more than \$13 million nationwide. Seventy-five percent of the funds are distributed through the national campaign headquarters in Washington, D.C., while the remaining 25 percent stay in the local diocese.

Noeth said HOME purchased a house on Adams Street last week, and is forming plans for its renovation.

The house was purchased for \$7,500.

"Obviously, it needs a lot of renovation," Noeth said. "This (grant) will give us some working capital."

Including in the needed renovations are new carpeting, windows, siding and porch repairs.

The rest of the cost of renovation will come from donations.

Noeth said the group hopes to have the house ready for occupancy by the end of September.

"The board hasn't met to formalize all that yet," she said.

She said the group is also starting to decide which family will move into the house.

Potential families were nominated by local elementary school principals.

Noeth said HOME is still looking for two or three volunteers to serve on the screening committee.

"The principals are the first step," she said. "The process seems to be moving along."

To donate or volunteer, Noeth said to contact HOME at P.O. Box 1030, Granite City, 62040.

Workshop program has openings

Glen Carbon Creative Express has a few openings in the following daytime summer workshops:

Charcoal and Pastel Landscapes, grades 4 and up, July 17-21, 9-10:30 a.m., cost \$31 includes supplies.

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Summer Stock mini-production, grades 6 and up, all day

Friday, Aug. 4 and Aug. 11, performance Aug. 11, cost \$45.

A few openings remain for the evening Family Creative Dramatics family fun night Thursday, July 27, 6:30-8 p.m., cost: \$10 for one child and one adult and \$1 for each additional person. \$1 person supply fee.

All classes are held at the Glen Carbon New Bethel United Methodist Church, 131 N. Main St. (Glen Carbon Rd.), and daytime workshops are limited to 12 students.

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Two injured in accident

Two Granite City residents were hurt in a one-vehicle accident last week near Olympian Village in Jefferson County, Mo.

John Harsh, 82, of the 2200 block of Lynch Avenue, was driving a 1993 Dodge south on Hwy. 67 north of Theresa Road on July 3 when he apparently lost control of the vehicle on wet pavement, Missouri Highway Patrol spokesman said.

The car slid off the west side of the road and overturned, the spokesman said.

Harsh and a passenger, Ella Harsh, 84, were taken by Joachim-Plattin ambulance to Jefferson Memorial Hospital, where they both were treated and released, a hospital spokeswoman said.

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Districts

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Districts not seeking mandate exemptions

No area school districts have asked for exemptions from state laws or regulations under legislation signed in February. State Board of Education representative Lee Milner identified only one of about 30 districts that have submitted applications under the School Mandates Waiver Act, which took effect Feb. 27.

During the first few months of the law, only one request was filed, but filings "are gradually starting to pick up with the end of the school year," when districts start looking at the next one," Milner said.

The only district he identified as having asked for a state mandate waiver is Benton

Elementary in Southern Illinois, because the district's request has been publicized.

Benton asked for a waiver of the state law barring corporal punishment in schools. The request will have to be reviewed by the State Board of Education, and the legislature will decide whether to approve it in November.

Benton Superintendent Allan Patton said there is strong local support for returning to the previous policy on corporal punishment before the state ban took effect Jan. 1, 1994.

"Over the entire year, we probably didn't paddle more than six or seven kids, but the

threat of it was there."

Most area districts have barred corporal punishment by school board regulation, and Madison County Regional Superintendent Harry Briggs said he advocates making parents responsible for disciplining their children.

"You should put the burden back on the parents to discipline their children and instill values so they are ready to learn when they come to school," he said. Briggs said he is not aware of any Madison County districts that have filed applications to waive mandates. He said there is a view that "this really doesn't solve the problem of unfunded mandates."

BRACC decision praised

New commander takes charge at Price Center

By Scott Cousins
Staff writer

Lt. Col. Allan Chong is happy to have a base to command.

Chong, who took over as commander of the Charles Melvin Price Support Center Thursday, said he is pleased that the center, which had been on the Base Realignment and Closure Commission's hit list, was taken off.

"The announcement... that the Price Center was removed from the recommended BRAC list was the best news that this new commander could hope for," he said during the change-of-command ceremony at the center Thursday morning.

"In particular, I would like to thank Congressman (Jerry) Costello and Maj. Gen. (Jack) Griffith for the key roles they played in the tremendous effort to retain this installation."

The center, which provides support services for the U.S. Aviation and Troop Command in St. Louis, had been recommended for closure by the U.S. Army. However, the commission, headed by former U.S. Sen. Alan Dixon, voted to take the Price Center off the final list, which was sent to President Bill Clinton for final approval. ATCOM also recommended for closure, remains on the list.

Chong joined the Army in 1977, and was most recently director of the Theater Army Replacement Operation, 8th Personnel (personnel command), Camp Colner, Korea.

He and his wife, Phyllis O. Gigante-Chong, have two children.

"I feel extremely honored to have been selected to be your commander," he said. "I take this responsibility very seriously, because I believe that

we perform a very important mission, the mission of taking care of soldiers, families, retirees and many others in the St. Louis metropolitan area that depend on our support."

He replaces Lt. Col. Michael Sloan, who will take another job at ATCOM.

Sloan commanded the center for the past two years.

He was praised by Maj. Gen. John Cusick, commander of ATCOM.

"Through your leadership, enthusiasm, dedication and resourcefulness, this community has grown and achieved some of the most demanding and challenging milestones," he said.

Later, Chong said he plans to take several days to get acquainted with the post and his duties.

"I think it's a very nice post," he said. "I'm happy to be here."

Grant helps flood victims with stress

A federal grant is helping flood victims deal with the stress of rebuilding or relocating.

The Illinois Department of Mental Health and Developmental Disabilities is coordinating Project Recovery '95, a counseling program for victims of spring storms and flooding in Madison and St. Clair counties.

"To survivors of the Great Flood of '93, the counseling was extremely helpful for people coping with the psychological impact of losing homes, jobs and income," Ann Patla, director of the Mental Health Department, said.

A \$26,000 grant from the Federal Emergency Management Agency provides outreach counseling and

"To survivors of the Great Flood of '93, the counseling was extremely helpful for people coping with the psychological impact of losing homes, jobs and income."

— Ann Patla

community education services.

Crisis services of Madison County and Comprehensive Mental Health Center of St. Clair County began the 60-day program May 30, and counseling services will continue through July 23.

"If there is an overwhelming need for more services, the Illinois Department of Mental Health and Developmental Disabilities will seek a two-week

extension grant," said Sharon Knock, public information officer for the department.

After the Great Flood of '93, Patla said, counselors talked with more than 14,000 people in Jersey, Calhoun and Greene counties over a 17-month period.

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Now that you have plenty of reasons for bird feeding, we'll give you a few how-tos.

Birds have distinct preferences about the type of foods they eat, so naturally, the type of feed you provide will greatly affect who visits your feeder and who doesn't. If you're not sure of what type of feed attracts what bird, you're like most of us. The following chart will tell you.

	Wild Bird Seed	Black-capped Chickadee	Cardinal	Dark-eyed Junco	Evening Grosbeak	House Finch	House Sparrow	Mountain Dove	Purple Finch	Red-bellied Woodpecker	Song Sparrow	Tufted Titmouse	White-breasted Nuthatch	White-crowned Sparrow	White-throated Sparrow
American goldfinch	x														
Black-capped chickadee	x	x													
Cardinal	x		x												
Dark-eyed junco	x			x											
Evening grosbeak	x				x										
House finch	x					x									
House sparrow	x					x	x								
Mountain dove	x					x		x							
Purple finch	x					x			x						
Red-bellied woodpecker	x	x								x					
Song sparrow	x						x				x				
Tufted titmouse	x										x	x			
White-breasted nuthatch	x										x		x		
White-crowned sparrow	x										x			x	
White-throated sparrow	x										x			x	

As you can see, if you place a generous helping of sunflower seed in your feeder, you'll have a good assortment of birds coming around.

Maintaining the feeder doesn't take a lot of time, and it's very important. Old seed left in the feeder for several days can become moldy. Cleaning the feeder

occasionally takes but a few minutes, and it will keep your feathered friends happy.

You'll have the greatest success if your feeding stations are properly placed. They should be located near trees and other landscape plants. Many birds don't like coming to feeders in open areas.

Keeping predators out is another consideration. Cats and squirrels pose the greatest threat. Squirrels are usually more interested in the food, but cats stalk the birds. Squirrel guards can be installed to make it more difficult for the rodents. Or, as they say, if you can't beat 'em, join 'em. Set up an easily accessible squirrel feeding station, and they may leave your bird feeder alone.

The best way to deter cats is to place the feeder in a location where cats can't get close enough to attempt an attack. Cats have the ability to leap and maneuver into some bizarre places, so keep that in mind. If the cat you're concerned about is your own, try putting a collar with a small bell on the pet to warn the birds.

Once you start feeding birds, you should continue to do so. If you cut off their food supply abruptly, they'll have to find another source. This is especially true during the winter months. If you must stop feeding for any reason, try to do it gradually. That will give them a bit more time to start looking elsewhere.

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he said.

IDOT had proposed closing the bridge — built in 1948 — because the cost of replacing it was estimated at almost four times the cost of a new intersection — about \$15 million.

The repairs will include a new deck and structural steel repair.

Construction is expected to take about 18 months.

Muskopf said the bridge might be closed for short periods of time during construction, but added that there will be continual access to the island.

However, because of lane width restrictions during construction, wide farm machinery may not be able to cross the bridge.

"During construction there may not be enough width," he said.

"The same time farmers need to work is also the same time construction will be going on."

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brothers, Louis and Steve Trgovich, both of Granite City, and two grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents, John and Magdolna (Gartion) Trgovich; one brother, Tony Trgovich; and one sister, Katherine Trgovich.

Visitation is from 10 a.m. to noon today, Wednesday, July 12, at Thomas Memorial Mortuary, 2505 Ponton Road in Granite City.

Gravestone services and burial will be held at 1:15 p.m. today in Jefferson Park Memorial Cemetery in St. Louis County.

Memorials are requested for the Holy Family Catholic Church Memorial Fund or to the charity of the family's choice, which will be accepted by the family.

Helen King

Helen L. (Rhodes) King, 81, of Granite City, formerly of Anna, Ill., died at 1:28 a.m. Monday, July 10, 1995, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center after being ill for several years. She was born July 31, 1913, in Alto Pass, Ill., and had been a resident of Granite City for 28 years.

A homemaker, she was a member of West 22nd Street Baptist Church in Granite City.

Survivors include her husband, Bird King, whom she married Dec. 9, 1937, in Anna; six sons, Gilbert, Paul and Fred Pender and Don, Clarence and Mike Pond; two daughters, Mildred Fox and Barbara Benge; eight grandchildren; one brother, Carl Rhodes; two sisters, Margaret and Billie Rhodes; 24 grandchildren; and 35 great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by one daughter, Lynette Sphar of Collinsville, two

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Newsboys

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The honorary chairman for the 1995 Old Newsboys Day fund drive, Zimmerman has pledged to bring the full resources of KMOX to the fund drive.

This year, the *Suburban Journals* hope to get a jump-start on the holiday giving season and has moved the drive to Nov. 2. On that day, thousands of volunteers will hit the streets to peddle special edition *Suburban Journals*. Every penny paid for the newspapers goes directly to area children's charities.

Though much of the selling is done during morning rush hour as commuters travel to work, this year it won't be just for the early birds. Many supermarkets, shopping malls and discount stores will

have volunteers selling the newspapers throughout the day.

Old Newsboys Day is a St. Louis tradition, begun by the former *St. Louis Globe Democrat* in 1957. Last year alone, more than \$180,000 was raised for 250 charities and more than \$5.5 million has been raised throughout its history.

Though the date has been moved up three weeks, one tradition will not change. Old Newsboys Day grants will be awarded to charities which request funds to purchase needed supplies and equipment that directly benefit needy children.

Children's charities interested in receiving an Old Newsboys Day grant application should send a stamped, self-addressed envelope by Sept. 22 to: Old Newsboys Day Funding Request, c/o *Suburban Journals*, 1714 Deer Tracks Trail, St. Louis, Mo., 63131.

Hearing

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City Attorney Casper Nighohossian said the hearings would be "very extensive" and would go on for several days.

He added that hearings were expected to continue for approximately 12 hours each day. On the first day, Metro, East LLC will present its case. Opponents will be allowed to make a presentation the second day. Depending on the amount of testimony, hearings could go beyond two days.

In a related matter, the council ratified the hiring of Edwardsville attorney Charles King as hearing officer at \$125 per hour.

The council also passed an ordinance detailing hearing procedures.

Nighohossian said the ordinance — which applies to all siting hearings for pollution control facilities, not just the present plan — sets up the hearing's framework.

The ordinance was passed on first reading. Among other provisions, the ordinance sets several rules on submitting evidence or testimony at the hearing.

Those include:

✓ All evidence other than oral testimony to be considered at the hearing must be submitted to the city clerk five days before the hearing.

✓ Proponents and opponents must submit a list of proposed witnesses at least five days prior to the hearing. The list will include the witness' name, address, occupation and a summary of the subject to be covered.

✓ A participant may appear in person or be represented by an attorney. Any attorney must file a written notice of appearance. Also, any group wishing to participate must appoint a spokesperson, who must also

file an appearance notice.

✓ After each witness testifies, there will be a chance for cross-examination. Those questions must be submitted in writing to the hearing officer, who will ask the questions.

Witnesses may be questioned only immediately after their testimony. If a question requires an extensive or technical answer, the hearing officer may permit the witness to submit a written response within 21 days.

Written comment on the proposal may be submitted up to 30 days after the hearing ends.

Within 45 days of the hearing, the hearing officer will submit a written report to the council, which will then vote on the site approval.

The ordinance also says the permit applicant will pay all costs for the hearing.

One of the plant opponents was upset about the ordinance provisions.

Kathy Andria of Stop Polluting Illinois said requiring them to submit evidence five days before the hearing was unfair. "They hadn't given us a date, and we haven't been able to contact people," she said. "We should be able to hand in things in the day of the hearing," Andria said.

She said SPILL was still planning strategy for the hearings. "We're not going to telegraph what we're going to do," she said. "We haven't been able to plan because we haven't had a hearing date."

Workers

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eligible for a random drawing, the winner of which will be paid \$1,000. Five runners up, also selected at random from the group, will receive \$500 each.

All city employees have been placed in one of five departmental pools. Members of the pool that most improves its injury and illness experience are eligible for another drawing where three \$500 prizes will be awarded.

The pools consist of: street department workers; fire department; police; wastewater treatment plant employees; and City Hall, sanitation and engineering department employees.

Overall, 811 days were lost during the first four months of this year due to illness or workers comp-eligible injuries, an 18 percent reduction from the 922 days lost during the same period last year.

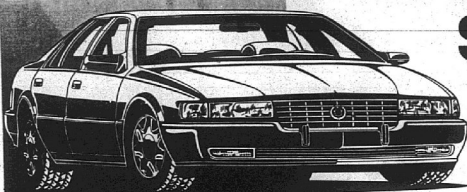
The city lost 112 days due to workers comp-eligible injuries in the first four months this year, down from 388 during the same period in 1994 — a 71 percent reduction. While 19 employees had compensable claims during January through April 1994, only six had reportable injuries during the first four months of this year.

The program has been less successful in regard to reducing sick days. Through April, 699 days had been lost this year due to sick claims by a total of 109 employees. Last year, during the same period, 118 employees used 604 sick days.

Kozar said just a few employees can skew the statistics. For example, one employee used 76 sick days during the first quarter this year and another used 45 1/4 sick days.

According to the report, 13 of the 35 (37 percent) employees in the City Hall, Sanitation and Engineering pool took sick days in the first four months of this year, compared to 23 of the 28 (82 percent) WWTP employees. Seventy-nine percent of the street department workers, 46 percent of fire department workers and 36 percent of police department employees used sick days during the reporting period.

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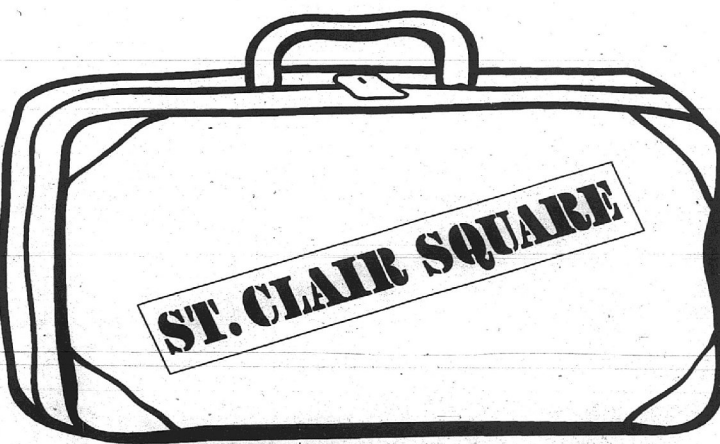
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son and her parents, Albert and Lulu (Foster) Rhodes. Visitation is today, Wednesday, at J.H. Homan and Sons Funeral Home in Jonesboro, Ill., where services will be held Thursday. Burial will be in Alto Pass Cemetery in Alto Pass. Local arrangements were handled by Thomas Memorial Mortuary in Granite City.

Ruby Ponder

Ruby Flossie (Blankenship) Ponder, 86, of Iberia, Mo., died Monday, July 10, 1995, at Lake of the Ozarks General Hospital. She was born June 22, 1909, in Miller County, Mo. A homemaker, she was a member of Hickory Point Baptist Church near Iberia and served as a volunteer at the Iberia Senior Citizens Center. Survivors include her husband, Earl O. Ponder, whom she married Nov. 16, 1928, in Iberia; two sons, Adolph Ponder of Iberia and Bobby Ponder of Granite City; one daughter, Betty Hutchinson of Hickory Point; one brother, Lloyd Blankenship of Cerritos, Calif.; 14 grandchildren; 17 great-grandchildren; and two great-great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Johnnie and Emma (Hensley) Blankenship. Services are at 2 p.m. today, Wednesday, at Reiss Funeral Home in Iberia with the Rev. Larry Elbertson officiating. Burial will be in Hickory Point Cemetery near Iberia.

Joann Dittamore

Joann "Jo" (Stephens) Dittamore, 62, of Granite City, formerly of Pomona, Ill., died at 10:08 a.m. Monday, July 10, 1995, at her residence, following a two-month illness. She was born July 4, 1933, in Pontiac, Mich., and had been a resident of Granite City for 60 years.

A housekeeping supervisor at St. Elizabeth Medical Center for 17 years prior to her retirement in 1987, she was of the Protestant faith. Survivors include her husband, Paul Dittamore, whom she married Oct. 4, 1962, in Granite City; two sons, Patrick D. Dittamore of Granite City and Philip S. Dittamore of St. Louis; one daughter, Mary Katherine Eberle of Granite City; and four grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her parents, Clifford and Lena (Lindsay) Stephens. Visitation is from 4 to 8 p.m. today, Wednesday, at Thomas Memorial Mortuary, 2205 Ponton Road in Granite City, where services are at 2 p.m. Thursday. Burial will be in Calvary Cemetery in Glen Carbon. Memorials are requested for the Phoenix Crisis Center.

Bernice Rich

Bernice M. (Hirtz) Rich, 73, of Granite City, died at 5:35 a.m. Sunday, July 9, 1995, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center, following a 10-year illness. She was born May 29, 1922, in St. Louis City and had been a resident of Granite City for more than 50 years. A homemaker, she was of the Protestant faith. Survivors include four sons, Frank, Russell and Robert Fleming and Gary Rich, all of Granite City; two daughters, Katherine Hirtz of Granite City and Josephine Jordan of Mitchell, five grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, Thomas E. Rich, who died Oct. 19, 1962; one brother, Walter Hirtz; and two sisters, Pauline Marsh and Dorothy Hirtz. Services are at 10 a.m. today, Wednesday, at Mercer Mortuary, 1416 Niedringhaus Ave. in Granite City, with the Rev. David Hanchford officiating. Burial will be in Lake View Memorial Gardens in Fairview Heights. Memorials are requested for the Phoenix Crisis Center.

Beverly Collins

Beverly June Collins, 62, of Collinsville, died at 7:30 a.m. Friday, July 7, 1995, at Memorial Convalescent Center in Belleville. She was born Feb. 10, 1933, in Troy. Mrs. Collins was employed with Holiday Inn in Collinsville prior to her retirement. Survivors include her husband, Polite

Gene Collins, whom she married Dec. 6, 1952; five sons, Barry Gene Collins of Pontoon Beach, Frank Warren Collins of Troy, Scott Delaney Collins of Texas, Dwayne Calvin Collins of Granite City and Lawrence Wayne Collins of O'Fallon; two daughters, Kim Mylena Collins of Pontoon Beach and Molly Dean Phillips of Florida; and 13 grandchildren. A memorial service will be held at 7 p.m. today, Wednesday, at Herbert A. Kassy Funeral Home, 515 Vandalla St. in Collinsville, with the Rev. Darrell Atkins officiating. Memorials are requested for the American Cancer Society.

Herman Stennett

Herman J. Stennett, 74, of Collinsville died at 9:20 p.m. Sunday, July 9, 1995, at his residence. He was born Sept. 17, 1920, in Union City, Tenn. A millwright prior to his retirement, he was a member of the AFL-CIO and an Army veteran.

Survivors include his wife, Marcia (Dennings) Stennett; four sons, John Stennett of Cedar Hill, Mo., Jim Stennett of Granite City, Danny Stennett of Tuscola, Ill., and Tim Stennett of Collinsville; one daughter, Debbie Scappo of Collinsville; one sister, Annabelle Moore of Collinsville; 13 grandchildren; and nine great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his parents, Jesse H. and Nancy (Reid) Stennett.

Services are at noon today, Wednesday, at his funeral home, 501 W. Main St. in Collinsville, with the Rev. William Engler officiating. Burial will be in Lake View Memorial Gardens in Fairview Heights.

Edward Mydlo

Edward Lee Mydlo, 67, of Caseyville died at 1:48 a.m. Monday, July 10, 1995, at his residence. He was born Aug. 23, 1927, in East St. Louis. Employed with the maintenance department at the State Hospital in St. Louis, he was a U.S. Marine Corps veteran.

Survivors include his wife, Elizabeth (May) Mydlo, whom he married Nov. 23, 1978, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center in Caseyville; one son, Anthony Miranda of State Park Place and David Mydlo of Granite City; four daughters, Pam Clark and Tina Ruiz, both of Granite City, Leslie Montgomery of Collinsville and Jennifer Fisher of East Alton; his mother, Josephine (Bomar) Mydlo of Caseyville; one brother, Richard Mydlo of Caseyville; one sister, Richard Mydlo of St. Louis; and 10 grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his father, William Mydlo.

Services are at 11:45 a.m. today, Wednesday, at Herbert A. Kassy Funeral Home, 515 Vandalla St. in Collinsville, with the Rev. Julius Gasawski officiating. Burial will be in Jefferson National Cemetery in St. Louis. Memorials are requested for the Hospice of Southern Illinois Inc. or the American Cancer Society.

Milan Saboff

Milan M. Saboff, 74, of Edwardsville, formerly of Madison, died at 8:29 a.m. Sunday, July 9, 1995, at his residence. He was born Jan. 26, 1921, in Yugoslavia. A millwright with Granite City Steel for many years prior to his retirement in January 1983, he was a member of St. Boniface Catholic Church in Edwardsville and the Knights of Columbus Council 1986 in Granite City. Survivors include his wife, Leona R. (Hendrick) Saboff, whom he married Oct. 6, 1946, at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Brussels; two sons, Michael

M. Saboff of Edwardsville and Paul G. Saboff of Granite City; five daughters, Carol M. Bridges of Mason City, Ill., Sandra K. McCalla, Kathryn Farrell and Martha Saboff, all of Edwardsville, and Elaine Schreier of Prairie Grove, Ill.; one brother, Stephen Saboff of Apopka, Fla.; two daughters, Mildred Rantanen of Stanton; 15 grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Daniel and Karolina (Selihar) Saboff. Visitation is from 4 to 8 p.m. today, Wednesday, at Weber Funeral Home, 304 N. Main St. in Edwardsville, where a scripture service will be held at 7 p.m. today.

Services are at 10 a.m. Thursday at St. Boniface Catholic Church, 110 N. Buchanan in Edwardsville, with the Rev. John Corrado officiating. Burial will be in St. Boniface Cemetery in Edwardsville.

Memorials are requested for the Muscular Dystrophy Association or St. Boniface Catholic Church.

Fleeta Geipel

Fleeta Oleva (Reiter) Geipel, 83, of St. Louis, formerly of the Tri-City area, died at 6:25 p.m. Friday, July 7, 1995, at St. Anne's Skilled Nursing of DePaul Health Center in St. Louis. She was born March 20, 1912, in Madison and had been a resident of St. Louis for 40 years.

A homemaker, she was a member of Chapel of the Cross Lutheran Church in St. Louis. Survivors include three sisters, Anna Lee Geipel of Granite City, Sarah Marie Fanning of Edwardsville and Evelyn E. Hoy of Mayville.

She was preceded in death by her husband, John Martin Geipel; her parents, Marston Sylvester Washington Reiter and Nanny Thomas (Patton) Reiter; three brothers, Charles, Ernest and Lester Reiter; and one sister, William Marie Harris.

Services were Tuesday at Irwin Chapel in Granite City with the Rev. Jonathan Stein officiating. Burial was in Sunset Hill Memorial Estates in Glen Carbon.

Memorials are requested for the Cardinal Ritter Institute or Chapel of the Cross Lutheran Church in St. Louis.

E. Odowichuk

Eugene G. Odowichuk, 36, of Granite City, formerly of Livonia, Mich., died at 2:55 a.m. Sunday, July 9, 1995, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center. He was born Oct. 20, 1958, in Detroit and had been a resident of Granite City for two years.

Survivors include his wife, Patricia (Jones) Odowichuk, whom he married June 9, 1992; one son, Rick Price of Granite City; one daughter, Norma Walen of Granite City; his mother, Sadie Odowichuk of Livonia; two brothers, Leo and George Odowichuk, both of Livonia; two sisters, Carol Lemus of Lincoln Park, Mich., and Rosemarie of Chesterfield, Mich.; and five grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his father, Leo Odowichuk. No services are being held at this time. Arrangements by Irwin Chapel in Granite City.

Grace McDaniel

Grace E. (Eastham) McDaniel, 77, of Granite City died at 10:50 p.m. Friday, July 7, 1995, at Anderson Hospital in Maryville. She was born Nov. 4, 1917, in Effingham.

She was an office clerk with Swift Chemical in Washington Park prior to her retirement in 1978. Survivors include her husband, Albert

L. McDaniel Sr., whom she married Sept. 8, 1932; one son, Albert "Bud" McDaniel Jr. of Pontoon Beach; two daughters, Doris Salade and Betty McKenzie, both of Collinsville; one brother, Emil Eastham of Collinsville; one sister, Bertha Lay of Marion, Ill.; seven grandchildren; nine great-grandchildren; and two great-great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by one son, William Arthur McDaniel; her parents, Everett and Ruby (Hoffman) Eastham; two brothers, Leo and Herbert Eastham;

and one sister, Myrtle Eastham. Services were Tuesday at Her Funeral Home in Collinsville. Burial was in Valhalla Gardens of Memory in Belleville.

Memorials are requested for the Alzheimer's Research Foundation.

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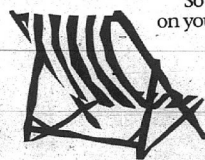
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Clippers' title all fundamental

When Whitey Herzog meets with the old-timers of men's amateur baseball in the southwestern Illinois area at the park behind Columbia High School on Sunday, July 16, I'm sure the quality of today's pro baseball players will be topic of conversation.

After all, how could the likes of Herzog or Bob Turley or Hank Bauer — all invitees to the Oldtimers Day — not think of themselves superior to today's major league product?

"WE'RE EXPECTING A nice turnout," Ray McAters, sala of the reunion, which he expects to run from "about 10 or 11 in the morning to six in the evening."

If Marco Island, Fla., resident Turley attends, he will again meet Charlie Hopkins, the East St. Louis native he caught "Bullet Bob" in San Antonio, Texas, prior to Turley's emergence with the St. Louis Browns and New York Yankees.

Fundamentals? The old-timers would have enjoyed the recent Valmeyer Mid-Summer baseball Classic, where Granite City gained a three-peat by defeating powerful Waterloo 6-4 for the title.

"That's one of the reasons I think we can win," said Granite City player-manager Daren DePew of the Clippers' fundamentals.

"We do not make many errors behind our pitchers and that allows them to pitch with more confidence."

TRUS, RIGHTHANDER Darin Hendrickson hurled two complete games — the opener 6-2 over O'Fallon and the title affair — with the Clippers getting what DePew termed "luck" in an 11-6, 10-inning win over Valmeyer in the semifinals.

"They had the bases loaded in the seventh, eighth and ninth innings, but we managed to get out of it," said DePew, who used starting pitcher Brian Harshany and reliever Mark Winfield and Jeff Ridenour to quell the Lakers.

"It was a matter of using Mark (a lefthander) when they had a lefthander batter and Jeff (a righthander) when they had a righthander," said DePew after his starter had tired in the seventh inning.

Clutch hits by John Moad and John Spotsnski highlighted a five-run 10th for Granite City, which rode the four-run pitching of Hendrickson and the hitting of center fielder Jamie Hogan in the finale.

Hogan, a Valmeyer MVP in 1993, not only had three hits, including a home run in the title game, but finished the Classic 7-for-13, including four homers, nine RBIs and six runs scored.

CAN GRANITE REGAIN the Mon-Clair League playoff title it lost to Waterloo a year ago? Time will tell since the teams are entered in the Prairie State Games and have a regular season doubleheader at Granite City prior to the start of postseason playoff action Aug. 12.

"I think we can do it," said DePew, a former minor league catcher and the oldest Clipper at age 30.

"Our pitching is better with the addition of the younger players (Ridenour, Winfield and Corey Dickerson), and our regular players really love to play the game," said DePew.

Fundamentals for the execution of such shows is more than the Valmeyer three-peat for Granite: The Clippers won M-C playoff crowns in '92 and '93, currently are dominating the M-C's North Division and are on target to become one of the best men's amateur baseball teams in history.

EXTRA INNINGS: Among the Valmeyer highlights was a rare two-run play for Granite City against Waterloo when Jamie Hogan hit a ground ball with Hendrickson at third base and Jeff Stephens at second.

As shortstop Jeff Kaiser threw to first, Stephens remained in full sprint around third base to score the second run on the play.

By Rob Raphael
Staff writer

Jeff Stephens ripped a two-run single in the bottom of the sixth inning to give Granite City a come-from-behind, 6-4 win over East St. Louis to gain a sweep of their doubleheader played at Dal'Maxville Field on Sunday.

The Clippers (15-2 overall, 12-2 in league play) easily won Sunday's first game 16-6, behind the six-RBI effort of Jamie Hogan. Hogan was named last week the Most Valuable Player at the Valmeyer Tournament, in which the Clippers won for the third straight year.

But the second game Sunday was much tougher. Granite City was short on pitching, as Darin Hendrickson needed rest and Brian Harshany was nursing a sore shoulder.

But as is the case frequently with the Clippers, they reached into their hat and pulled out two winning pitchers.

Mark Winfield and Jeff Ridenour, two of the youngest players on the team, each tossed complete-game victories on Sunday, with Ridenour getting the well-deserved win in Game 2.

The Clippers fed behind the Colt 45s (2-8) 3-1 in the third inning, when Jerry Creer and player-manager Carlos Stanford each hit run-scoring singles off of Ridenour.

But the Clippers tied it with a run in the fourth and two more in the fifth, with the tying run scoring on a balk by Colts reliever Ricky Lewis.

"We don't mind the fact that we lost the game, but we don't like the way we lost it," Stanford said. "Our pitcher balked the pitch before, and the umpire didn't call it, so I guess he figured he had to call something."

"He balked," said Clippers manager Daren DePew. "But that wasn't the difference in the game. We're confident that we're going to score runs. We've got a lot of guys hitting the ball well right now."

Harshany drove in Jamie Hogan with a sacrifice fly, and Granite City had a brief 4-3 lead.

Still turning after the balk call, Stanford came up in the top of the sixth and belted a homer over the head of centerfielder Tim Hogan, tying the score at 4.

Actually, the balk forced in the tying run, but it was Stephens who delivered the clutch hit in the sixth.

Hendrickson singled and was sacrificed to second by John Cozair, before Tim Hogan walked.

Hendrickson moved to third when Lewis mishandled a ball. (See CLIPPERS, Page 3B)

Granite City 6, East St. Louis 4

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(Game Two)	Granite City	East St. Louis	h	r	b	h	r	b	
Creer lf	4	1	2	1	2	Hogan cf	1	3	0
Lewis ss-p	4	0	0	0	0	Stephens rf	0	0	3
Stanford cf	3	1	2	2	2	J.Hogan ss	3	1	1
Stoval c	3	0	0	0	0	Moad rf	2	1	0
Singlet p	2	0	0	0	0	Harshany p	1	0	0
Walker ss	1	0	1	0	1	JSpinski lf	3	0	0
Adams rf	3	0	1	0	1	Hendrickson p	2	0	0
Williams 3b	3	0	0	0	0	Cozair c	2	0	0
Ike 1b	3	0	0	0	0	Ridenour p	3	0	0
Holmes 2b	1	0	0	0	0				
Totals	25	4	6	3	3	Totals	22	6	5

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Granite City: Stephens, 3B — None, HR — Hogan, J. Hogan, Stephens.

East St. Louis	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Stanford	1	2	2	2	3	0
Harshany	2	2	2	2	3	0
Pendry	7	6	2	2	10	5

Poor defense hurts Triplets in tourney

By Rob Raphael
Staff writer

When the Tri-City Triplets got on the bus to go to Springfield, Mo., they apparently forgot their gloves.

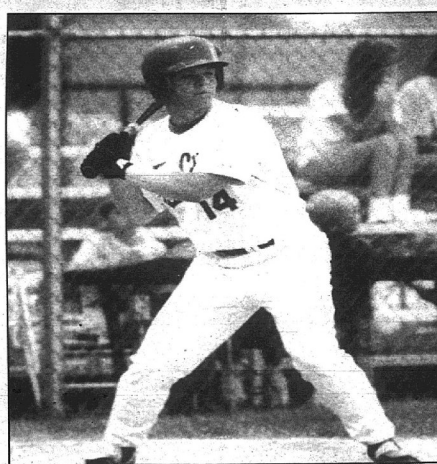
After playing consistent defense the first month of the season, Tri-City made far too many errors and mental mistakes against a tournament full of good teams, as they came back hurting from the Ash Grove Legion Tournament this weekend.

The Triplets couldn't match up with the talent level at the Springfield tourney, as they went 1-4 over the weekend — including a couple of blowouts. The Triplets are 12-10 overall.

"It didn't go well at all," said Triplets manager Doug Winfield. "We played some very good teams that could really hit the baseball, and we picked a bad time to play bad defense."

Before the tournament, Winfield was most worried about his pitching, but that apparently was not a problem at Springfield.

"Our pitching was OK, but we (See TRIPLETS, Page 4B)



(Staff photo by PAM DOEPKE-HURD)
Tri-City's Brad Ervay takes a swing in the Ash Grove Legion Tournament this past weekend.

Paddlers divers in perfect form while swimmers sink

By Rob Raphael
Staff writer

The Paddlers divers kept their perfect record intact, while the swimmers suffered their first loss of the year in a dual meet against Montclair last Thursday at Paddlers Pool.

The divers took five of the final six diving events to slip by the tough Marlins 50-36, after falling behind 11-3 at one point and 21-11 after four dives.

Montclair got by the Paddlers' swimmers by a final score of 357-302. At one point, after the ninth swimming event, the Paddlers actually led 40-39, but after event 25 Montclair had sped out to a 130-75 lead.

The Pirates never came within 40 points of the Marlins after that point, but Montclair couldn't widen their advantage, either.

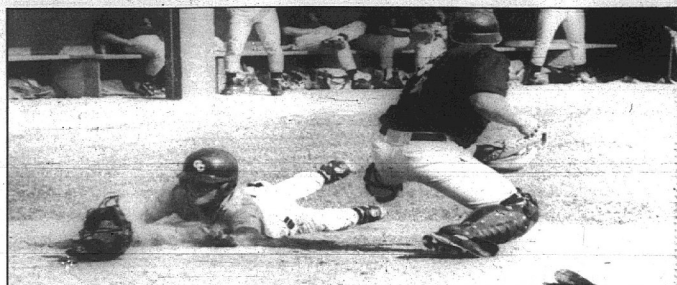
"That was a very competitive meet," said Paddlers coach Gayle McCormick. "That's a very good score for them against a good Montclair team."

McCormick was equally proud of her divers, who defeated a very talented Marlin diving team to keep their perfect summer intact.

"I thought the kids were much improved in diving from the last couple of meets," she said. "I think everyone is a little nervous, because we're just a couple weeks away from our big meet of the year at Summersport, and the SWISA diving championships later that week."

The SWISA conference meet will be held at Paddlers this year, on July 29 at 12:30 p.m. The Tuesday before that meet, on July 25, the Paddlers will travel to Summersport for what McCormick said was probably the biggest dual meet of the year. (See DIVE, Page 3B)

Clippers win two over Colt 45s



Granite City's Jeff Stephens makes a dive for the plate during the Clippers' 6-4 win over East St. Louis on Sunday.

Clippers' Hogan has tremendous week; MVP credits his teammates

By Rob Raphael
Staff writer

Somebody please help Jamie Hogan pat himself on the back. Hogan capped off a tremendous week of hitting by driving in seven runs in Granite City's doubleheader sweep over East St. Louis Sunday in Mon-Clair League action.

Earlier in the week, Hogan was named the Most Valuable Player of the Valmeyer Mid-Summer Classic Tournament after helping the Clippers win that tourney for the third consecutive year.

But when asked about his accomplishments for the week, Hogan diverts all credit to his teammates.

"This is such a great lineup, and we have such great pitching," he said. "It's just great to play on this team and be a part of everything we've accomplished."

Yes, but what about your hitting, Jamie?

"When your No. 1 and 2 hitters are getting on base as much as (See HOGAN, Page 4B)



Jamie Hogan
Valmeyer Tourney MVP

Speedway's victor wins for late friend

By Steve Birmingham
Correspondent

Tommy Scott, plagued by bad luck much of the 1995 racing season, dedicated his victory in Saturday's McKay Auto Parts AC-Delco Mid-Season Championship to his late friend, Mark Gleckl.

"I want to dedicate this win to Mark," Scott said in Tri-City Speedway's victory lane. "Mark and I became close friends while in Arizona for the Slick 50 series and I wanted this one for him."

Gleckl, a television and film producer, was killed during an off-road racing event last week. Saturday's win, his third of the year, put Scott back atop the Skoal Racing Spring Car Points heap.

Wayne Sternberg vaulted into second in points over Dean Adams with a second-place finish to Scott. Adams slipped to third after failing to compete in Saturday's action.

In an attempt to tug at their wallets, promoter Bob Wente offered to double the winner's share if any points leader elected to start dead last on the field and win.

Budweiser Grand American Modified leader Tom Seets refused, so the offer went to the second-place man — Tom's brother John Seets, who accepted.

Tom Seets took off from the his pole position and was never heard from again while John Seets put on a clinic, passing 15 cars before his tires went away, relegating him to a fourth-place finish.

Red Dog Pro Stock defending champion Pat Ryan was crowned the Mid-Season champ despite losing his regular car to mechanical troubles and borrowing Tony Sarkis' vehicle for the night. Ryan finished fourth to Steve Grotz, who notched his third win of the season.

Dan Pilkington won a wild and woolly Street Stock feature, but Dennis Wernie won the mid-season points chase with a second-place finish.

Next up, the World of Outlaws invades Tri-City Speedway on Saturday, July 15. The Speedway is located one-half mile south of Interstate 270 on Highway 203 south (Exit 4).



(Staff photo by PAM DOEPKE-HURD)
The Paddlers' Casey Krinski competes last Thursday at Paddlers Pool against the Montclair Marlins. The Paddlers won, 50-36.

SPORTS

Sports shorts

Elks '81 tryouts
The Granite City Elks U-13 girls soccer team will hold tryouts for players born between Aug. 1, 1980 and December 31, 1981 from 6-8 p.m. July 11 and 17 at the Belleville Area College campus in Granite City.

All candidates must wear a white shirt and shin guards. Players must also bring a size 5 inflated soccer ball, drinking water and a copy of their birth certificate. For more information, call 931-5163.

Elks '83 tryouts
The Granite City Elks U-13 boys soccer team will hold open tryouts for boys born Aug. 1, 1982 or later at 6-8 p.m. July 11 at the Granite City Elks Sports Complex at the Belleville Area College campus in Granite City. All candidates must arrive at least 15 minutes early and wearing shin guards. Players must also bring a size 5 soccer ball, drinking water and a copy of their birth certificate. For more information or rain-out date, call 797-2536.

Elks '85 tryouts
The Granite City Elks 1985 U-11 girls soccer team will hold open tryouts for girls born after Aug. 1, 1984 at 6 p.m. July 18 at the Belleville Area College campus in Granite City. All candidates must arrive at least 15 minutes early wearing a white shirt and shin guards. Players must also bring a size 4 inflated soccer ball, drinking water and a copy of their birth certificate. For more information, call 797-1090.

Elks U-9 tryouts
The Granite City Elks U-9 boys soccer team will hold tryouts for boys born between Aug. 1, 1986 and July 31, 1987 at 6 p.m. July 10 and 17 at the Belleville Area College campus in Granite City. All candidates must arrive wearing shin guards. Players must also bring a size 4 soccer ball, drinking water, a copy of their birth certificate and a small school-size photo. For more information or rain-out date, call 931-4553 or 931-6233.

Elks U-10 tryouts
The Granite City Elks U-10 boys soccer team will hold tryouts for boys born between Aug. 1, 1985 and July 31, 1986 at 6 p.m. July 14 and 17 at the Belleville Area College campus in Granite City. All candidates must arrive wearing shin guards. Players must also bring a size 4 soccer ball, drinking water, a copy of their birth certificate and a small school-size photo. For more information or rain-out date, call 931-4553 or 797-0617.

Elks U-11 tryouts
The Granite City Elks U-11 boys soccer team will hold tryouts for boys born after Aug. 1, 1984 from 9-11:30 a.m. July 25-27 at Coolidge Junior High School. Players should wear shin guards and bring a size 4 soccer ball and drinking water. New players must bring a non-returnable copy of their birth certificate with their social security number noted on it. For more information, call 877-5586.

Gus Macker registration available at the Collinsville Area Recreation District for the Gus Macker 3-on-3 basketball

tournament. The tournament is slated for Sept. 2-3 at the Gateway Center in Collinsville. The fee is \$80 per team and teams must have four people per team. For more information, call 346-7529.

U-19 team tryouts
The Collinsville United U-19 Girls (born after Aug. 1) soccer team is holding an open tryout for the 1995-96 competitive travel soccer season.

Tryouts will be held at the Van Fossan Soccer Complex in Collinsville 6-8 p.m. July 13 and 10 a.m.-noon July 15. Candidates should wear white shirts and shin guards. Each must bring a properly inflated size 5 soccer ball and drinking water. Non-returning players must bring a copy of their birth certificate and a small passport-type photo. For more information, call 345-4837 or 344-5685.

U-17 team tryouts
The Collinsville United Express girls' under-17 team will hold open tryouts for the 1995-96 competitive travel soccer season. Tryouts, for girls born from August 1, 1978 through July 31, 1979 or younger, will be held at the Van Fossan Soccer Complex on McDonough Lake Road in Collinsville on Tuesday through Thursday July 18-20 from 6-8 p.m.

For more information, call 624-2449 weekdays or 624-8084 evenings and weekends. The tryouts for the Collinsville United girls' under-13 team will be held at the Van Fossan Soccer Complex on July 11 and 12 from 6-30 p.m. to 8 p.m.

For more information about this tryout, interested parties should call 288-6285 or 288-6868. Candidates for both tryouts should wear white shirts and shin guards. Each must bring a properly inflated size 4 ball, drinking water and a dark scrimmage shirt. New players must bring a non-returnable copy of their birth certificate. All candidates must bring a non-returnable passport or school photo.

United Celtics tryouts
The Collinsville United '83 Celtics boys Under-13 soccer team will hold open tryouts for the 1995-96 competitive travel soccer season from 6-8 p.m. July 12 and from 10 a.m.-noon on July 15. Tryouts will be at the Collinsville Christian Academy Son-Life field, 1203 Vandallia (the former Collinsville High School). The field is located behind the school. The tryouts are for boys born

on or after Aug. 1, 1982. Candidates should wear soccer shorts, white shirts, shin guards and proper shoes. They should also bring a properly-inflated size No. 5 soccer ball, drinking water and a small (passport type) photo. Non-returning players must bring a non-returnable copy of their birth certificate. For more information, call 344-8318 or 346-1995.

Slobo camp
The 1995 Slobo Youth Soccer Camp will be held July 31-Aug. 4 at Worthen Park. The five-day camp, open to youth boys and girls players, will be held 9-11 a.m. each day. Instruction will be provided for both field players and goalkeepers. The camp fee is \$50 and includes a hand-stitched Puma soccer ball, a \$30 value, along with a camp T-shirt and photo. For more information, call (314) 227-3038.

Florissant United tryouts
The Florissant United Soccer Club is conducting a girls' soccer camp at CYC High School for recreational, modified and select players.

The girls' camp will be held 6-8:30 p.m. July 17-20. Experienced instructors will be on hand teaching field and goalkeeping skills and techniques.

A Lotto ball and a camp t-shirt is included in the \$55 fee. The Club is also offering a under-12 boys' tryout on Monday, July 10 from 6 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. and on Saturday, July 15 from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. The tryouts will be held at Koch Park Soccer Field next to the tennis courts. For more information on either the camp or the tryouts, call (314) 889-9899.

Soccer camp
The Quad-Cities Soccer Association and the Madison County Girls Soccer Association are teaming up to sponsor a youth camp featuring Pat McBride next month at the Quad-Cities Soccer Complex.

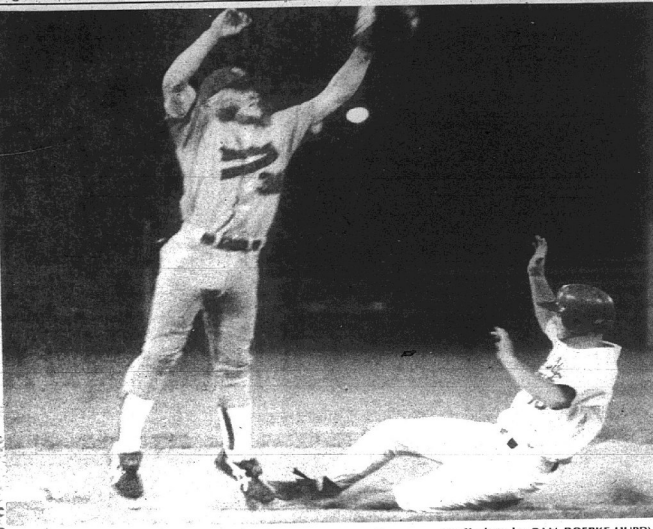
The camp, scheduled for July 24-28, is open to boys and girls ages 5-14. It will be conducted by McBride, the former St. Louis Stearns coach and area soccer legend. Instruction will be provided for both field players and goalkeepers, and players will be grouped by age and ability to maximize results. The camp will begin at 9 a.m. July 24 and will continue daily from 9-11:30 a.m. through July 28. The fee is \$50 per camper. For more information, call 876-9000.



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Slide! — Tri-City's Scott Nemeth tries to steal second in a recent game in the Ash Grove Legion Tournament. The Triplets were 1-4 over the weekend.

Southern Region finally fields volleyball team for State Games

By Scott Marion
Staff writer

It wasn't long ago that the Southern Region had trouble getting enough players to field a scholastic men's volleyball team for the Prairie State Games. But those days are over. The 1995 Southern squad features a full 12-player roster, comprised entirely of PSG newcomers. To Charlie Merker — who coaches the team along with Roger Westfall from Triad Middle School — that's proof of volleyball's growing popularity.

"WE HAVE TWO kids from Anna-Jonesboro, one from Collinsville, three from Granite City, five from Freeburg and one from Belleville East," said Merker, husband of Sue Merker, who coaches the Southern Region scholastic women's team as well as the girls volleyball team at Freeburg High School. "It's going to be a lot of fun and I think the kids will learn a little bit. There really aren't any (volleyball) programs in this area for the boys."

"We have some good athletes who just need to get some volleyball experience. They're all smart kids and quick learners. It's hard to get kids at this age together because of American Legion baseball and basketball tournaments. But they want to play, and that's the most important thing."

"We're probably going to face some teams from the Chicago or Springfield area that have played together before, and that makes it tough. We're trying to keep things simple, do the basics and play sound volleyball. That's about all we can do."

Members of the Southern team are listed below by high school and their grade during the 1994-95 school year:

— **FREEBURG:** JUNIOR outside hitter Wyatt Bickett, senior outside hitter Matt DuBois, sophomore outside hitter Matt Klein, senior middle hitter setter Ben Merker and junior middle hitter Mike Rosborg.
— **Granite City:** junior outside hitter setter Jason Cox, sophomore outside hitter Clayton Warren and sophomore outside hitter setter Jason Warren.

— **Belleville East:** junior outside hitter Andrew Rushing.

— **Collinsville:** senior middle hitter setter John Taylor, a Caseyville resident.

— **Anna-Jonesboro:** senior outside hitter Ryan Bailey and senior outside hitter Ken Hight.

"Bailey is a good all-around ballplayer," Merker said. "He's played some sand volleyball and he really likes the game. (Hight) also has some experience."

"MIKE ROSBORG WILL be tough, but he's really in the early stages. As far as our lineup, it's definitely going to be a mixture."

Competition for PSG scholastic men's volleyball will be held Friday and Saturday, July 21-22, at SIU-Edwardsville's Student Fitness Center.

"We had practice Sunday night and all of the kids were there," Merker said. "Other than that, we've had just one practice and some guys were missing. We'd like to practice three or four more times before the games."

Amateur Hockey holding registration

The Granite City Amateur Hockey Association has begun fall registration for boys and girls ages 5-17 as of July 1 for its ice hockey teams and learn-to-play programs.

Last year's team players and learn-to-play members together with their brothers or sisters may register at 10:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. July 15 at the Firefighters Convention Center, located at Eastgate Plaza on Illinois 3 in East Alton. New player registration will be held 10:30 to 1 p.m. July 22 at the same location.

Parents or guardians and the enrolling child need to attend registration and provide the child's social security number, a copy of the child's birth certificate and a \$25 minimum fee deposit.

The regular season will begin in October with final team selections based on age and skill. Practices are normally held once on a weeknight and once on a weekend.

Games and practices will be conducted from November through March. A learn to play program is designed for all players ages 5-8 prior to placement on teams. The program is set at a much lower registration cost and a minimum equipment requirement of ice skates, hockey gloves, hockey helmet with face mask and hockey stick.

The Granite City Amateur Hockey Association is a mem-

ber of Missouri Hockey Inc. GAAHA teams compete against teams in the St. Louis metropolitan area, such as Creve Coeur, Kirkwood, Affton.

As a member of USA Hockey, the national organization of ice hockey, the GAAHA coaching staff is certified through a skill advancement program. The referees are also USA Hockey certified. For more information, call 451-6013.

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* All children will have a great time at camp and we hope to see you this summer!

* For more information, please contact Rich Wittmann @ 876-7200.

Briefly

Coaching position available

Westlin High School in Trenton is now accepting applications for the boys varsity soccer coaching position for the 1995-96 school year. Anyone interested should send a letter of application and resume to David Brede, Athletic Director, Westlin High School, Route 160 South, Trenton, Illinois 62293. For more information, call 224-7341 or 588-3897.

Clippers

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return throw from the catcher, and Hogan eventually stole second.

Stephens connected on a 2-0 pitch and singled sharply to center, driving in the winning runs. "We've been waiting to use these pitchers," DePew said. "We are a little short on pitching, but we have athletes on

this team that can pitch if we need them. Both Mark and Jeff pitched well today, and we got some big hits when we needed them."

"I don't ever want to take anything away from Granite City," Stanford said. "They are probably the best team in this league. But that's the point: They don't need any gift runs like they got today. As far as the first game goes, I pitched terribly and they just hit the cover off the ball."

The Clippers will need the rest this week, as they will travel to Edwardsville for a twin bill on Saturday and then play again Sunday at Millstadt.

Beginning July 22, Granite City will play at the Prairie State Games, with two games each on that Saturday (Longacre Park) and Sunday (O'Fallon City Park). Those games will count in the Clippers' overall record, but not in the league standings.

Dive

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"It was a great team effort by our divers," McCormick said of the effort against Montclair. "I really can't single out any of the divers at this point. Everyone is working hard and getting better each time out."

She added everything is geared toward the conference meet. "There's just no telling what will happen; you could be on one day and off the next. But it comes down to the ones who are dedicated enough and get out there and practice every day. They're the ones who will do well at the big meets."

On June 29, the Paddlers visited Gaslight and were not very polite guests. Both the swim and dive teams took it to Gaslight, with the divers winning 62-12 and the swimmers coasting to a 422-214 win.

Although Gaslight's diving team was thin in numbers, the Paddlers still won every event, scoring a perfect eight points in five of the 10 diving events.

The swimmers got off to a good start against Gaslight by dominating in the early freestyle events, and they had doubled Gaslight's score by the end of the relays.

Next up for the Paddlers is the SWISA Relay Meet, set for July 10 at Sunset Hills. Then comes the Summersport meet and the conference diving meet.

The conference swim meet is scheduled for August 5 at Summersport, and the JV swim meet will be at Wedgewood on Thursday, August 10, which rounds out the summer Paddlers' schedule.

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Order of Eastern Star honors members

Old acquaintances were renewed when the new 25-year and 50-year members attended the Granite Chapter 650 Order of the Eastern Star meeting to receive their pins. They were

welcomed with friendship and fellowship from members. The worthy patron, Jack DeCourcy, opened the meeting and introduced the worthy matron, Betty Ebrecht. He then

presided over the flag ceremony. The members who led in prayer by the chaplain. The minutes of the previous meeting were read by the secretary, Vee Throne.

The following members of the order were escorted, introduced and welcomed by the worthy matron and worthy patron: From Granite chapter: Kim Hebbethwaite, with support; Donna Kagi, general fund; Vee Throne, registration; Virginia John, cancer research; Bess Henley, heart foundation; Neal Kelson, Masonic unity; from New Hope chapter: Irene Wilkinson, estari, and Del Wilkinson, knights Templar eye foundation; and from Wood River chapter: Alene Ray, worthy matron.

Special guests who were escorted, introduced, welcomed and seated in the east for the evening were Mary Petrosian, Hilde Few and Judy Few, who received their 25-year membership pins and a certificate, and Isabelle Dieckmann, who received her 50-year membership pin and a certificate from the chapter.

The following officer protoms were thanked for their help: Lois Hebbethwaite, Shirley DeCourcy, Alene Ray, Neal Kelson, Irene and Del Wilkinson and Donna Kagi.

The next meeting will be held Friday, July 14, when the grand family of Illinois will be present for an official visit. The worthy matron invited the members to attend.

School news

Eric Hahn and Traci Mell, graduates of Granite City School, have been accepted for the fall 1995 semester at Culver Stockton College in Canton, Mo. Hahn, son of Marilyn and Steven Hahn of Granite City, has been awarded a football scholarship. In high school he was involved in student council, football, basketball, baseball and Varsity Club, among other activities.

Mell, daughter of Susan and John Mell of Granite City, plans to study a premedicine curriculum. She has been awarded the Pillars for Excellence Scholarship (the college's highest academic award, valued at \$4,400) and a theater scholarship.

In high school Mell was involved in National Honor Society, Alpha Peer Leaders, Speech and Theater Club, Science Club, Teen Center Committee, the high school restoration program, American Cancer Society and the Holy Family Catholic Youth Organization, among other activities.

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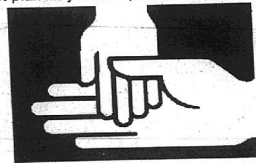
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Young at Heart Senior Citizens meet

The Young at Heart Senior Citizens of Holy Family Catholic Church held its meeting on June 19 in the church community center.

The meeting was called to order by Cleola Siebert, president. Father Casey led the group in prayer, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance, given by Siebert.

In the absence of Cleo Schnefke, recording secretary, Ruth McClew, vice president, read the minutes of the May meeting. Winifred Kelly then gave the treasurer's report. Siebert thanked everyone who helped at the flea market, cake walk and cake stand at the June festival. Mary Ann Glosecki, co-chairwoman of the Holy

Family food booth, thanked everyone for bringing food for the workers. Margaret Kwiatkowski, chairwoman of the flea market, thanked all those that helped at the flea market.

Aileen Pirtle, membership chairwoman, reported 63 members in attendance.

Irma Manning, trip chairwoman, reported the trip to Our Lady of the Snows has been rescheduled for Oct. 13. The cost is \$13.50 per person.

A trip is once again scheduled for July 27 for a cruise on the Peoria Paradise Boat. Special features include coupons for lunch, two cruises back to back and a prime rib dinner for \$8.95.

A three-day trip to the Ohio River in southern Illinois and Kentucky is planned for Sept. 26, 27 and 28. The price is \$208 for double occupancy. Those interested should make reservations with the Golden Frontier.

Birthday celebrations in June were George Sotiroff, Virginia Unfried and Sylvia Opich.

Attendance prizes were won by Sophia Kreider, Ann Konopka, Winifred Bringer, Winifred Kelly, Frances Gallauer, Adele Wasyak and Terry Henneman.

Kwiatkowski read the slate of officers nominated for 1995-96. A motion was made and seconded to accept the following nominees: Cleola Siebert, president; Ruth McClew, vice president; Katherine Berosky, treasurer; Cleo Schnefke, recording secretary; and Jean Francis, correspondence secretary. Installation of officers will be held at the July meeting.

In closing, Siebert reminded members that the July meeting will be a salad pot luck, beginning at 6 p.m., to honor the outgoing officers and to welcome the incoming officers. The next meeting will be held July 17 at the Holy Family Community Center.

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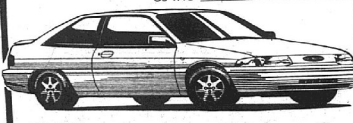
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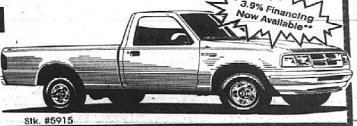


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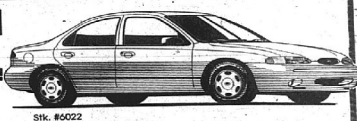
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Wednesday, July...

American Association of Retired Persons Club will host a picnic the doors open at 5:00 your own food. Desserts furnished. Music provided by Jerry's Band. Donation will be charged at the door. All are welcome. For more information, call 876-8328.

Disabled American Veterans Chapter 53 will offer a picnic from 1 to 3 p.m. at the Veterans Hall, 1417 10th St., Collinsville. Call 876-7811 for more information.

Granite City Public Library will offer a book sale from 6 to 9 a.m. at the Granite City Public Library. For more information, call 876-8328.

OATH will hold a membership meeting at the Madison Recreation Center, Seventh and Madison.

Pulmonary Support Group will offer a lung condition, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Collinsville Area District in conjunction with the Boats and Slips Dance Club will offer dance lessons from 7 to 9 p.m. at Lanham, 2209 Collinsville. The...

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Niedringhaus United Church for their members. Alice Hunsinger was in charge of the "Journey of My Life" event. Following the event, the group welcomed the group and also read the "Journey of My Life" book. The ladies were the hostesses for the event. The women's group of the Collinsville Area District of the Methodist Church will offer a picnic for the Collinsville and Naomi...

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Community calendar

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Wednesday, July 12

American Association of Retired Persons Chapter 1340 will host a picnic and dance. The doors open at 5 p.m. Bring your own food. Dessert will be furnished. Music will be provided by Jerry's Kids. A \$2 donation will be collected at the door. All ages 50 and over are welcome. For information call 876-8328.

Disabled American Veterans Chapter 63 will offer a service officer from 1 to 3 p.m. at the Tri-City Veterans Home, located at 1417 19th St. in Granite City. Call 876-7816 for more information.

Granite City Chess Club meets from 6 to 9 p.m. at the Granite City Public Library. For more information, call 876-4228.

OATH will hold its annual membership meeting at 7 p.m. at the Madison Recreation Center, Seventh and Lee streets in Madison.

Pulmonary Support Group, for persons with diagnosed lung condition, 11 a.m. to noon at 4-Doctors Solarium, St. Elizabeth Medical Center, 798-3019.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 11 a.m. and 8 p.m., 2116 Club, 2116 Edison, Granite City, 1 (800) 307-6600.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 8 p.m., St. Elizabeth School's South Ark Day Care, Pontoon Road, Granite City. The meetings are closed except for the last Wednesday of the month.

Collinsville Area Recreation District in conjunction with the Boats and Slippers Square Dance Club will sponsor square dance lessons from 7 to 9 p.m. at Lanham, 2200 Vandalla St., Collinsville. The cost is \$2.50.

Methodist Women hold meeting

Niedringhaus United Methodist Women met in the parlor of the church for their monthly meeting. Alice Hunsinger, Christian Global Concerns Mission coordinator, was in charge of the program. She gave the program entitled, "Journey of My African Sisters." Susan Kleindorfer read the scripture. Following the program, Christy Hatcher-Walter, president, welcomed the group and offered the prayer. She spoke on racism and also read Martin Luther King's speech, "I Have a Dream." The ladies were reminded of the school of mission to be held July 13-16 in Mount Vernon.

The women's group is hosting a birthday party for the residents of Colonial Care Center.

Hostesses for the meeting were Susan Willmore, Katherine Martin and Naomi Siedhoff of the Mom's Ministry.

per person. Per session. For information, call 344-4636 or 344-1193, or contact CARD at 346-7529.

Divorced and Separated Group Ministry, 7-8:30 p.m., Eden United Church of Christ, 903 Second Street, Edwardsville, 656-8268.

Al-Anon, 7:15 p.m., Gateway Foundation, 600 Lincoln, Caseyville, 463-2429.

Parents Anonymous Group, meets 8 to 9 p.m. For information on where meeting will be held, call Elaine Landolt, 462-2714.

Stress Management Class, 7 to 8 p.m. at Mental Health Services, 50 Northgate Industrial Drive, Granite City. For people who want to know what causes stress, how it affects their lives, and what they can do about it. For more information call 877-4200. Fees are based on a sliding income scale.

Madison Community Action Group, meets at 7 p.m. For information call 876-1360 or 462-2336 or Diane at 876-1360.

Thursday, July 13

Edwardsville Kennel Club, 7:30 p.m., Hayes Mallory Community Building, 216 Crane St., Edwardsville, open to public.

Madison County Genealogical Society, meets 7 p.m. at Immanuel United Church, 800 N. Main, Edwardsville.

Navy Mothers Clubs of America, meet at 7:30 p.m. at the Veterans of Foreign Wars, Navy, Marines, Coast Guard or Sea Bees are encouraged to join. For further information, call 931-2292 or 876-2299.

Chouteau Township Senior Citizens, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m., Social Center, 908 Thorngate Drive, Madison.

Eagle Park Area Seniors of Madison, meet from 10 a.m. to noon at 100 Hill St. (rear), Eagle Park Acres, Madison.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 8 p.m., 2116 Club, 2116 Edison, Granite City, 1 (800) 307-6600.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 8 p.m., Presbyterian Church, Mitchell, 1 (800) 307-6600.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 11 a.m., 2116 Club, 2116 Edison Ave., Granite City, 1 (800) 307-6600.

Take Off Pounds Sensibly Chapter 2363, 6:45 p.m. at Anchorage Recreation Center.

2909 Edwards St. For information, 797-6351 or 877-2784.

Al-Anon, 8 p.m., Wellness Center, 2105 Iowa, 463-2429.

Narcotics Anonymous, Seeking recovery, 8 p.m., 2016 Delmar Ave., 24-hour hotline 398-9409.

Overeaters Anonymous, 7:30 p.m. at First Christian Church, 2415 N. 80th St., Caseyville. For information, call 1 (314) 638-7821.

Granite City Community Band rehearsals, 7:30 to 9 p.m., St. John United Church of Christ, 2801 Namecki Road, Granite City, 931-9443.

Friday, July 14

Granite Chapter 650 Order of the Eastern Star meets at 7:30 p.m. at the Masonic Temple, 20th Street and Cleveland Boulevard in Granite City.

Downtown Neighborhood Restoration Society, Granite City, 877-7115, 8 p.m.

Hereditary Ataxia (a disorder of nerve cells in the spinal cord and cerebellum) support group, Call Curt Williams, 877-5172, for information.

Al-Anon meets at 8 p.m. in the Miloski Room in the basement at St. Elizabeth Medical Center. Call 463-2429 for more information.

Narcotics Anonymous, noon and 8 p.m., 2116 Club, 2116 Edison, Granite City, 1 (800) 307-6600.

Friday Afternoon Pinochle Club for seniors 55 and over meets at 12:30 p.m. at the Har-Old Brown Building, Franklin Avenue and Pontoon Road. Call 877-0350 for more information.

STEMSS (Support Together for Emotional and Mental Serenity and Sobriety), A support group for people with a mental illness and an alcohol or substance abuse problem, meets from 1:30 to 2:30 p.m. at Pascal Hall, St. Elizabeth Medical Center. Call 798-3604 for more information.

Alcoholics Anonymous, noon and 8 p.m., 2116 Club, 2116 Edison, Granite City, 1 (800) 307-6600.

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Saturday, July 15

Obsessive/Compulsive Disorder Support Group, meets at Von Gontard Conference Center at St. John's Mercy Medical Center, 615 South New Balas Road, 10 a.m. Meeting is free and open to OCD patients.

Alcoholics Anonymous, noon and 8 p.m., 2116 Club, 2116 Edison, Granite City, 1 (800) 307-6600.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 8 p.m., Presbyterian Church, Mitchell, 1 (800) 307-6600.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 11 a.m., 2116 Club, 2116 Edison Ave., Granite City, 1 (800) 307-6600.

Take Off Pounds Sensibly Chapter 2363, 6:45 p.m. at Anchorage Recreation Center.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 8 p.m., St. John United Church, 2801 Namecki Road, Granite City, 931-9443.

Al-Anon, 8 p.m., St. John United Church, 2801 Namecki Road, Granite City, 931-9443.

Al-Anon, 8 p.m., Niedringhaus United Methodist Church, 20th and Delmar, Granite City (babysitter available), 463-2429.

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Alcoholics Anonymous, 8 p.m., 2116 Club, 2116 Edison, Granite City, 1 (800) 307-6600.

Al-Anon Adult Children, 10 a.m., 2016 Delmar Ave., 463-2429.

Narcotics Anonymous, Acceptance, 8 p.m., 2016 Delmar Ave., 24-hour hotline 398-9409.

St. Madison, food pantry is open from 9 a.m. to noon. Samuel Turner is the chairman, Valonda Turner is the secretary and Alfred Turner is the pastor.

Sunday, July 16

Midwestern United States Imperial Dance Club (MUSIC) will hold its regular meeting at 8 p.m. at the American Legion Hall in Collinsville. The public is invited for dance lessons and open dancing at a cost of \$4 for nonmembers and \$2 for members. For more information, call 463-2429.

The Pontoon Beach Jaycees regular meeting is held at 7:30 p.m. at Ralph and Charlie's Steak House. The meetings are open and the public is invited.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 1:30 p.m. and 8 p.m., 2116 Club, 2116 Edison, Granite City, 1 (800) 307-6600.

Narcotics Anonymous, Live the Steps, 8 p.m., 2016 Delmar Ave., 24-hour hotline 398-9409.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 8 p.m., St. Elizabeth Medical Center, Pascal Hall, main floor, Granite City, 1 (800) 307-6600.

Eagles Auxiliary 1126 Bingo, 1 p.m. at the Namecki Bingo Center. Also included will be a color raffle and a 50/50 drawing.

Overeaters Anonymous, meets at 2 p.m. in the Wisconsin Room, first floor, St. Elizabeth Medical Center in Granite City.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 8 p.m., St. John United Church, 2801 Namecki Road, Granite City, 931-9443.

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TOPS 2048 (Take Off Pounds Sensibly), 6 p.m., Melvin Price Support Center in Granite City, 876-2124.

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Mayonnaise..... 32-OZ. **179**

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Whip..... 32-OZ. **228**

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A-1 Steak
Sauce..... 10-OZ. **299**

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Sauce..... 10-OZ. **299**

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Ketchup..... 64-OZ.

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Syrup..... 38-OZ. **351**

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Cereal..... 13.5-OZ. **315**

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Cereal..... 15-OZ. **389**

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Corn Flakes
Cereal..... 12-OZ. **219**

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Cereal..... 25-OZ. **429**

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General Mills
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399
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Cereal..... 15-OZ. **319**

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Shredded
Wheat..... 17.2-OZ. **299**

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Raisin Bran
Cereal..... 16-OZ. **299**

ASSORTED VARIETIES
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Cereal..... 18-OZ. **299**

SEMI-SWEET
Nestle's
Morsels..... 12-OZ. **181**

Crisco
Shortening..... 6-LB. **499**

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Shortening..... 48-OZ. **279**

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Thank You Pie
Filling..... 21-OZ. **159**

Biscuit Baking
Mix..... 60-OZ. **277**

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197
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Sugar..... 4-LB. **159**

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Detergent..... 42-OZ. **237**

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Detergent..... 42-OZ. **197**

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Detergent..... 128-OZ. **399**

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Surf
Powder..... 103-OZ. **497**

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Tide Liquid Laundry
Detergent..... 100-OZ. **699**

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Pads..... 4-CT. **49¢**

Comet
Cleanser..... 14-OZ. **29¢**

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Final Touch
Fabric Softener..... 64-OZ. **179**

Purina
Dog Chow
799
25-POUND BAG

ASSORTED VARIETIES
Pledge Furniture
Polish..... 16-OZ. **299**

BUILD-UP REMOVER
Liquid
Plumber..... 33.5-OZ. **599**

Raid Yard
Guard..... 16-OZ. **499**

DOW
Saran
Wrap..... 100-FT. **199**

Charmin Bath
Tissue..... 24-ROLL. **599**

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Charmin Bath
Tissue..... 12-ROLL. **317**

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Tissue..... 4-ROLL. **129**

ASSORTED VARIETIES
Heinz Strained
Baby Food..... 4.5-OZ. **33¢**

LIQUID WITH IRON
Emfamil
Formula..... 13-OZ. **224**

Bi-Rite
Flour
59¢
5-POUND BAG

ASSORTED VARIETIES
Kraft Philly
Cream Cheese
106
8-OZ. BRICK

POWDER WITH IRON
Emfamil Baby
Formula..... 16-OZ. **877**

CONCENTRATE WITH IRON
SMA Baby
Formula..... 15-OZ. **258**

SLICED
Kraft American
Singles..... 3-LB. **834**

SHARP CHEDDAR
Kraft Free
Singles..... 12-OZ. **259**

ASSORTED VARIETIES
Shop 'n Save
Biscuits..... 10-CT. **8/\$1**

ASSORTED VARIETIES
Weight Watchers
Ultra 90 Yogurt..... 6-OZ. **59¢**

Parkay Light
Quarters..... 16-OZ. **79¢**

Shedd's Country
Crook..... 3-LB. **199**

FROZEN
Shop 'n Save
Orange Juice..... 12-OZ. **99¢**

1 1/2 DOZEN
Family Pack
Medium Eggs
59¢
18-CT.

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Eggo
Waffles..... 8.6-11 OZ. **2/\$3**

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Bagels..... 4-6 CT. **107**

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Banquet Pot
Pies..... 7-OZ. **69¢**

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Dinners..... 12-OZ. **2/\$5**

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Oscar Mayer
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Pies..... 20-OZ. **99¢**

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Hickory Ridge
Bacon..... 1-LB. **149**

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Hillshire Farm
Bratwurst..... 1-LB. **199**

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Pork Sausage..... 1-LB. **199**

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Hillshire Farm
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ALL MEAT
Hunter
Hot Dogs..... 12-OZ. **79¢**

Hygrade
Hot Dogs..... 1-LB. **99¢**

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Fryers
69¢
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Bologna..... 1-LB. **139**

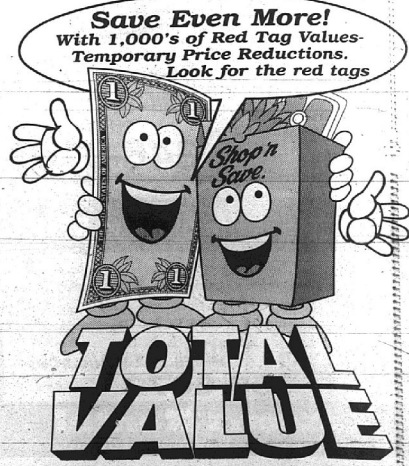
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Births

Garrison West

Michael and Angela West of Glen Carbon have announced the birth of their second child, a son.

Garrison Michael West was born at 6:17 a.m. Feb. 9, 1995, at Anderson Hospital in Maryville and weighed 7 pounds, 14 ounces.

The mother is the former Angela Novosel.

Maternal grandparents are Steve and Val Novosel of Granite City. Paternal grandparents are John and Vicki West of Effingham.

Garrison joins Steffen, 1.

Madalyn Werths

John L. and Terri L. Werths of Edwardsville have announced the birth of their second child, a daughter.

Madalyn Nicole Werths was born at 2:36 p.m. March 16, 1995, at Anderson Hospital in Maryville and weighed 8 pounds, 4 ounces.

The mother is the former Terri L. Vallino.

Maternal grandparents are Eugene "Bud" and Judy Vallino of Edwardsville. Paternal grandparents are Lloyd and Loretta Werths of Granite City.

Madalyn joins Carlie A. Werths.

Katarina Roe

Milt and Melissa Roe of Collinsville have announced the birth of their third child, a daughter.

Katarina Belle Roe was born at 7:49 p.m. Feb. 2, 1995, at Anderson Hospital in Maryville and weighed 7 pounds, 3 ounces.

The mother is the former Melissa Hickman.

Maternal grandparents are John and Darlene Robbs of Maryville. Paternal grandparents are the Rev. Milton and Sue Roe of Granite City.

Katarina joins Jacob Roe, 7, and Jordan Roe, 3.

Mary Liszewski

Mark and Elizabeth Liszewski of Troy have announced the birth of their second child, a daughter.

Mary Elizabeth Liszewski was born at 5:32 a.m. Feb. 4, 1995, at Anderson Hospital in Maryville and weighed 9 pounds, 1 ounce.

The mother is the former Elizabeth Hall.

Maternal grandparents are Charles and Jean Hall of Madison. Paternal grandparents are Joe and MaryAnn Liszewski of Madison.

Mary joins Marky, 6.

Elizabeth Lovsey

Anthony Lovsey and Tina Johnson, both of Granite City, have announced the birth of their first child, a daughter.

Elizabeth Nicole Lovsey was born at 10:41 a.m. Feb. 16, 1995, at Anderson Hospital in Maryville and weighed 6 pounds, 8 ounces.

Maternal grandmother is Tammy Hannah of Troy. Paternal grandmother is Sandy Abney of Granite City.

Devon Taylor

Michael and Shannon Taylor of Madison have announced the birth of their first child, a son.

Devon Lloyd Taylor was born at 2:09 p.m. Feb. 25, 1995, at Anderson Hospital in Maryville and weighed 6 pounds, 11 ounces.

The mother is the former Shannon Delynn Smith.

Maternal grandparents are George and Kris Smith and Kathi and Steve Jones, all of Granite City. Paternal grandparents are Lloyd and Helen Taylor of Granite City.

Danni Schroeder

Dwayne Schroeder and Angela Handon, both of Granite City, have announced the birth of their first child, a daughter.

Danni Taylor Schroeder was born at 7:36 p.m. Feb. 27, 1995,

at Anderson Hospital in Maryville and weighed 5 pounds, 10 ounces.

Maternal grandparents are Kay L. and Frieda M. Handon of Las Vegas, Nev. Paternal grandparents are Robert G. and Phyllis M. Schroeder of Granite City.

Nicholas Patterson

Danny and Sherri Patterson of Granite City have announced the birth of their second child, a son.

Nicholas James Patterson was born at 7:34 a.m. March 2, 1995, at Anderson Hospital in Maryville and weighed 8 pounds, 2 ounces.

The mother is the former Sherri Neumann.

Maternal grandparents are James Neumann and Nancy Neumann, both of Highland. Paternal grandparents are Lonzo and Pat Patterson of Granite City.

Conor Mathenia

Keith and Lisa Mathenia of Granite City have announced the birth of their second child, a son.

Conor Reese Mathenia was born at 2:51 p.m. March 4, 1995, at Anderson Hospital in Maryville and weighed 9

pounds, 3 ounces.

The mother is the former Lisa Lenzi.

Maternal grandparents are Alan and Sharon Lenzi of Granite City. Paternal grandparents are Keith and JoAnn Mathenia of Granite City.

Boone Shelton

Todd and Tracy Shelton of Granite City have announced the birth of their second child, a son.

Boone Kenton Shelton was born at 2:41 p.m. March 6, 1995, at Anderson Hospital in Maryville and weighed 8 pounds, 4 ounces.

The mother is the former Tracy Arnold.

Maternal grandparents are

Larry Arnold and Rose King, both of Granite City. Paternal grandparents are Jerry and Sandra Shelton of Granite City.

Boone joins Joshua Wilkins, 4.

Seth Grooms

Greg and Michele Grooms of Madison have announced the birth of their second child, a son.

Seth Michael Grooms was born at 7:53 a.m. March 10, 1995, at Anderson Hospital in Maryville and weighed 8 pounds.

The mother is the former Michele B. Gushleff.

His grandparents are Ron Gushleff of Webster Groves, Mo., and Barbara E. Gushleff of Madison.

Seth joins Joshua, 5.

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7:00 P.M. Tuesday, July 25	Senior Division, Youth Talent Contest
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7:00 P.M. Thursday, July 27	Magic Show

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Today's Food

Wednesday, July 12, 1995

Food & Nutrition

Wise Ways

Juice may — or may not — hold fruit at its nutritious best.
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Heart-y Bites

Convenience courts flavor in marriage of quick meals.
INSIDE

Blue Ribbon Cook

Winning fruit tart makes delicious use of fresh peaches.
INSIDE

Private Label Test Run

Potatoes make a real meal for many people. *Journal* tasters test the value of Shop 'n Save au gratin potatoes.
INSIDE

Micro Raves

Dressing, gelatin and other ingredients start cool in a microwave and keep salad that way, too.
INSIDE

Lively Taste

For a spicy-sweet marinade, combine 1 cup pineapple juice, 2/3 cup dry sherry, 2 tablespoons brown sugar, 1/2 teaspoon crushed leaf rosemary and 1 clove garlic, crushed. Marinate pork chops or chicken in mixture as long as overnight, seafood up to 1 hour before grilling.

Health & Fitness

Medicine Chest

Is it beneficial to know as much as possible about one's own medication? Rebecca Coley weighs the merits.
INSIDE

Fresh Picks

A wire basket is a handy helper for grilling vegetables. Slice similarly sized vegetables with similar cooking times at least 3/4-inch wide to avoid falling through the mesh. For tasty potatoes, cut 1 pound medium potatoes lengthwise in about 6 strips each. Toss with 2 tablespoons oil. Sprinkle with about 1 teaspoon chili powder, Tex-Mex or Cajun seasoning. Cook over medium coals about 20 minutes — turning once if using basket — until tender on inside and browned on edges.

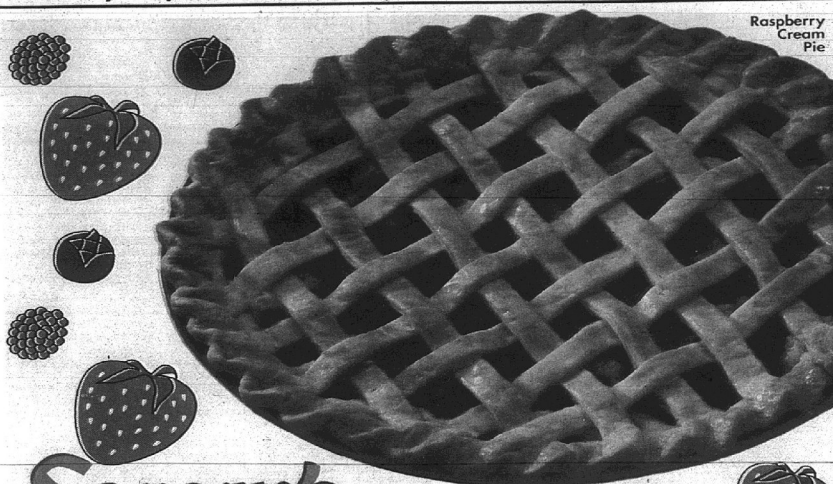
Big Fat Tip

For a flavorful nonfat sandwich spread, mix tomato paste with twice as much nonfat mayonnaise. Season with oregano, salt and pepper. Use with deli-meat sandwiches.

Future Shop

Bananas have increasing appeal. Scientists are trying to develop a banana with a digestible protein that delivers a vaccine for hepatitis. The goal now is to get enough of these proteins into the body to produce the disease-fighting immune response. It should be five to 10 years before the idea branches into human testing.

Source: *Food Insight*, International Food Information Council



Raspberry Cream Pie

Season's Greetings

By Janice Denham
Staff writer

Each food has its strong season. Berry-good ideas fill summer.

Strawberries, blueberries, raspberries, blackberries all get due respect for a short time when they are fresh, later in frozen or canned form to help their flavor memory linger.

Berries are one of nature's most fragile fruits, yet those small, juicy packages are capsules of con-

densed nutrition waiting to help cure mankind's ills.

American sailors once took barrels of cranberries to sea with them to ward off scurvy; strawberries have been linked to cancer prevention; and tea made from raspberry leaves has been used to relieve pregnant women's morning sickness.

A natural progression of sweet to tart parades every year as the sweet strawberries of spring culminate in cranberries for Thanksgiving.

Berries do not ripen after picking, so picking them firm, plump and fully colored for their variety and using them within two days makes sense. Blueberries hold the longest, several days.

Berries sit as comfortably atop morning cereal as they do in a pie that climaxes a special feast or occasion.

To freeze berries, let them dry on paper towels after a gentle

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Crunchy Brunchy Pizza

Sweet Jewelry Kids' Cuisine

Tie lengths of string licorice together to make a necklace. Before tying it around your neck, thread with mini pretzels, marshmallows and doughnut-shaped colored cereal. This makes a good party activity.

Rick Tucker Graphics

Today's Food

Heart-y Bites

By LIBBY MILLS

Easy, 30-minute meals flow from simple plans

The alarm goes off and the day starts its countdown: errands, appointments, family obligations, work. Somewhere in the day I grab lunch. At its end, I exercise a bit, tiredly find dinner, fall into bed. Like thousands of other people in large cities, small towns and everywhere between, I do it again tomorrow.

To avoid the frustration of trying to eat food that is healthy, only to rush into poor or monotonous choices, the American Heart Association's "Quick and Easy Cookbook" is hot off the press with fabulous recipes that answer the crunch of fast-paced life.

It also reminds me an organized kitchen saves time and avoids goofs. For instance, beginning a recipe or cooking project by getting out all ingredients and measuring them is simple enough. It quickens preparation, eases cleanup and avoids not having a key ingredient.

My dad called his mother a "great" cook. She did not cook anything exotic. My grandmother was my kind of cook: She used what she had to make meals de jour taste wonderful.

True to my grandmother's style, the new cookbook updates convenience, speed and sensational taste with ingredients likely to be in my kitchen.

Some tips — like keeping knives sharpened and hot pads handy near cooking equipment — are sensible reminders. Follow these everyday pointers, tips from the book and recipes can be

ready in 30 minutes or less, just like the pros — and my grandmother.

• Keep familiar enhancements on hand. Horseradish, powdered ginger and garlic, vanilla, reduced-sodium soy sauce, mustard and bouillon granules move from a shelf to zip up fat-free salad dressing or give simple pasta primavera international flair.

• Keep plain frozen vegetables on hand. Use creative license to substitute broccoli, cauliflower, asparagus or any other vegetable for the usual.

• Keep quick-cooking rice, pasta, and reduced-fat, all-purpose baking mix on hand. Don't rely on tradition. While stir-fried vegetables usually are matched with rice, try them tossed with bow tie pasta, served alongside hot fluffy rolls or wrapped in a thin pancake crepe.

Keeping items on hands means less time spent in the supermarket and, ultimately, less time in the kitchen, too.

Registered dietitian Libby Mills is a staff member of the American Heart Association, St. Louis Chapter.

The next "I Love Eating" class will be held from 11:45 to 1 p.m. Thursday, July 27, at Moore Food Distributors, 9910 Page Ave. A registered dietitian will offer easy, timesaving, healthful ideas to take home for one-dish meals. For information or reservations for the free event, call 45-HEART or toll-free (800) 255-9919.

BROCCOLI WITH EASY MUSTARD SAUCE

$\frac{1}{2}$ cup low-sodium chicken broth (more may be necessary)
 $\frac{1}{2}$ tsp. crushed thyme
 3 cups broccoli florets
 2 tbsp. nonfat or low-fat sour cream
 2 tsp. flour
 2 tsp. Dijon mustard

In medium saucepan over high heat, bring $\frac{1}{2}$ cup broth and thyme to boil. Add broccoli. Return to boil. Reduce heat. Simmer, covered, 5 minutes, or until tender-crisp.

With slotted spoon, remove broccoli and keep warm.

In small bowl, stir together sour cream, flour and mustard. Stir into cooking liquid in saucepan. Cook and stir over medium heat about 2 minutes until thickened; do not let boil. Cook and stir 1 minute longer, adding more broth 1 tablespoon at a time if sauce is too thick.

Gently stir broccoli into sauce until well coated. Makes 4 servings; 32 calories, 3 g protein, 5 g carbohydrate, no fat or cholesterol and 59 mg sodium each. Preparation time is 10 minutes, cooking time 8 minutes.

Recipe from American Heart Association "Quick and Easy Cookbook" (Times Books, \$25).



Savory rice, spinach and feta cheese are heightened with a little oregano in a hearty side dish for dinner that can become a main dish for lunch.

Rice and spinach take flavorful turn with feta

Like other vegetables, spinach used to be cooked to a bitter end. Now its fresh flavor can be taken as its true flavor with just enough cooking time to wilt the leaves.

Here it is joined with savory rice cooked in chicken broth, mushrooms and garlic. Lemon juice and feta cheese provide contrasting flavor accents with a little "bite."

For firmer rice, just follow cooking directions on a package of brown rice.

mushrooms
 2 cloves garlic, minced
 1 tsp. lemon juice
 $\frac{1}{2}$ tsp. leaf oregano
 6 cups shredded fresh spinach (about $\frac{1}{4}$ lb.)
 4 oz. feta cheese, crumbled
 Freshly ground pepper
 Chopped pimiento for garnish

In medium saucepan, bring rice, broth and water to a boil, stirring once or twice. Reduce heat. Simmer, covered, 15 minutes or until rice is tender and liquid is absorbed.

In large skillet coated with nonstick cooking spray, cook onion, mushrooms and garlic until onion is tender.

Stir in lemon juice and oregano. Toss with rice. Add spinach, cheese and pepper to rice. Toss lightly until spinach is wilted.

Garnish with pimiento.

Makes 6 servings; 188 calories, 8 g protein, 5 g fat, 29 g carbohydrate, 17 mg cholesterol, 821 mg sodium and 3 g dietary fiber each.

Microwave directions: In deep 2- to 3-quart microwave safe dish, cook rice, broth and water on high power 5 minutes, then cook on medium power 15 minutes until rice is tender and liquid is absorbed.

In 1-quart microwave-safe dish or bowl coated with nonstick cooking spray, cook onion, mushrooms and garlic on high power 2 to 3 minutes.

Add vegetables, lemon juice, oregano, spinach, cheese and pepper to hot rice.

Cook on high 1 to 2 minutes until spinach is wilted.

Recipe

NUTTY TUNA SALAD

2 or 3 cans (6 oz. each) tuna, drained
 $\frac{1}{2}$ cup finely chopped celery
 1 medium sweet onion, finely chopped
 $\frac{1}{2}$ cup cashews, chopped
 1 tbsp. chopped parsley
 $\frac{1}{2}$ tsp. salt

3 hard-cooked eggs
 $\frac{3}{4}$ to 1 cup mayonnaise, any type
 Pinch pepper

Toss together tuna, celery, onion, cashews, parsley, salt, eggs, mayonnaise and pepper.

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Recipe

CINNAMON FRUIT TART

1 envelope unflavored gelatin
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 1/2 cup pineapple juice
 1/2 cup reduced-fat sour cream
 1/2 cup skim milk
 6 packets aspartame sweetener
 Cinnamon Graham Cracker Crust
 Fresh Fruit

In small saucepan, sprinkle gelatin over water. Let stand 1 minute. Stir over low heat about 3 minutes until gelatin is completely dissolved.

In blender or food processor, process cottage cheese, pineapple juice, sour cream, milk and sweetener until blended. Gradually add gelatin mixture while still processing until well blended. Pour into Cinnamon Graham Cracker Crust. Chill at least 3 hours until firm.

To serve, top with fresh fruit.

SUNSHINE ORANGE CHICKEN

Combine 3 tablespoons water, 1/2 cup cider vinegar, 1/4 cup olive oil, 3 tablespoons honey, 1/2 teaspoon orange extract, 1 teaspoon crushed rosemary and 1/2 teaspoon nutmeg. Mix well. Marinate 1 pound boneless, skinless chicken breast, cut in bite-size pieces, 2 hours. Grill or broil. Makes 4 servings.

minutes before filling.

Fresh Fruit: Use any combination of sliced strawberries, kiwifruit or orange, blueberries or raspberries to equal 2 cups.

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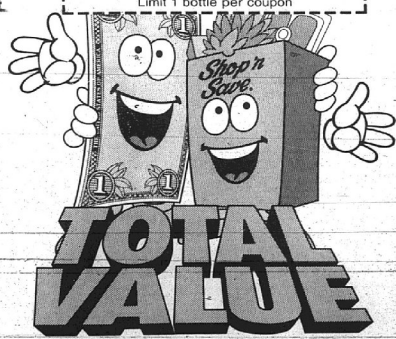
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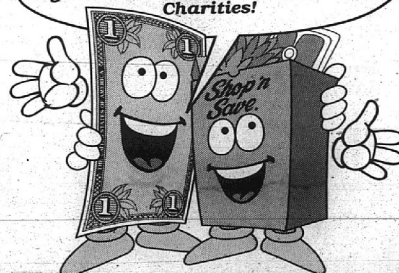


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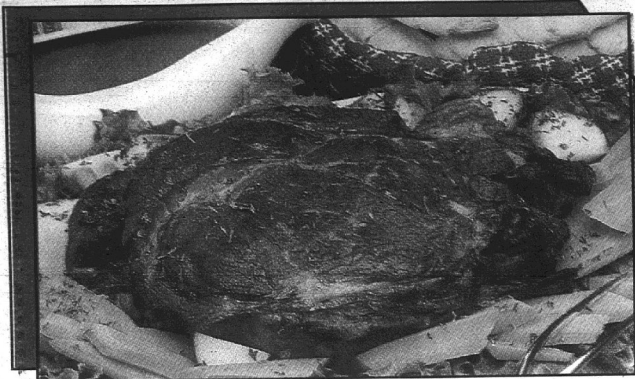
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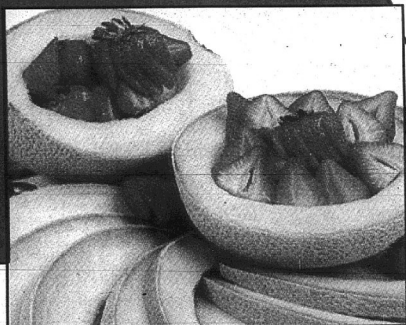
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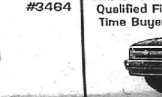


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FAMILY

Rebekahs, friends gather to celebrate Zeigler birthday

Marie Zeigler, formerly of Madison and Granite City, and now residing at Edwardsville Care Center East in Edwardsville, was pleasantly surprised on June 11 when a group of friends and Rebekahs from the Delray Rebekah Lodge in Madison gathered at the home to celebrate her 92nd birthday, which was hosted by Mae Hendrickson.

In attendance were Edith Carpenter, Hazel Wheeler, Edna McKay, Lydia Henderson, Pearl Wood, Naomi James and Mae

Hendrickson and her daughter, Venita.

Refreshments were served to the above, along with Donna Courtney of the Troy Rebekah Lodge.

Pictures were taken while all in attendance enjoyed the day. Zeigler is also a member of the Madison Senior Citizens.

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Too Temperatures will stay 'til week

The area was under alert Wednesday as temperatures soared degrees. The heat kept sweltering, air conditioning and those forced out sweltering.

"We're looking for temperatures to climb 95 and 100 degrees Friday," said Dave National Weather Service. The heat wave will the area through the he said.

"We may get a little Saturday when thunder roll through the St. he said.

John Dewey, a spokesman for the Illinois Power, said company set a new demand Wednesday and 3 p.m. when it used 3,827 megawatts of electricity. The pre was set Aug. 16, 1988.

The IP service covers 15,000 square scattered throughout southern two-thirds. "We're looking at more records tomorrow (Thursday)," Dewey said.

The weather service the heat advisory to alert people to take precautions so they overcome by the he said. Too much sun not so cool when the consequence is a health illness.

Especially vulnerable heat-related illness elderly and very overweight people, and those with heart diseases, said Dr. chief of medical staff. (See H)

Motorcycle dies in

A Granite City early Tuesday evening motorcycle struck Madison.

Shawn L. Tripp, City, was pronounced the scene of the accident about 7:30 a.m. north of Harrison.

According to the Police, Tripp was northbound at a speed of about 70 mph when he struck the right Chevrolet Chevelle Crystal Timberson.

Tripp, who was helmeted, then struck the rail. Both Timberson, 31, and Tripp, 31, were pronounced dead at the scene. No citations were

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